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Shanghai, November 3, 1938. 12202

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By Order of the Vice-Commodore,
K. F. PIPER,
Hon. Sailing Secretary.

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ADDENDUM No. 19.

AMENDMENTS

Page 53. Groundnuts with shells
Groundnuts without shells
delete the words:—
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"shipped between May 1 and October 31"
also delete the foot note† concerning Groundnuts.

Shanghai, November 5, 1938. 12199

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To-day's Events

NOVEMBER

5 Le Ballet Russe, "Don Quixote," Lyceum, 9
5 *Outer Mongolia declared independence (1914)*
5 *Ex-Emperor expelled from Winter Palace (1924)*
5 *Guy Fawkes' Day*

Coming Events

NOVEMBER

6 Le Ballet Russe, "Don Quixote," Lyc., 2.15 and 9
6 Municipal Orchestra Symphony Concert, Lyceum Theatre, 5.15
6 S'hai. Rowing Club Autumn Regatta
8 B. Zakharoff and V. Havsky in a concert for two pianos, Lyceum, 9
9 British Scouts Association Jamboree
9 YWCA Finance Camp'n Rec'tion Tea
9 Theosophical Society, 75 Jessfield Rd. Public Lecture, 6.30
10 Rotary Club, Metropole Hotel, 12.30
10 B.W.A. Cabaret Tea, 4.15 p.m.
10 Royal Asiatic Society, N.C.B., mtg. open to the public at 5.30 p.m.
10 "The Bells of Corneville," comic opera by R. Planquette, Lyceum, 8.30
10 For. Y. Debating resumes. Subject: "Bored Blue", 9 p.m.
11 Armistice Day. Wreath laying Ceremony at the War Memorial, 8.30 a.m.
11 Service at Cathedral, 10.45 a.m.
11 B.W.A. Gardening 578 Hungjao Rd.2-4
11 Women's International Fellowship Service of Prayer, Y.W.C.A., 3.30
11 Shanghai Philatelic Society annual meeting, 5.30 p.m.
11 British Great War Veterans Dinner at Shanghai Race Club, 8 p.m.
12 Guide Signalling Competition and Brownie Rally at the Cathedral Girls' School, 425 Avenue Haig, by kind permission of Miss Fleet, 2.30-5.30
12 "The Bells of Corneville" Lyc., 8.30
13 "The Bells of Corneville" Lyc., 8.30
14 Cradle Bridge/Mahjongg, YMCA, 3
14 Engineering Society Meeting, 5.45
15 B.W.A. Reception, 4.30 p.m.
15 Annual mtg., Scouts Association. Court Room, British Consulate, 5.30
16 Shanghai Horticultural Society's Autumn Flower Show, S'hai Race Club
17 Rotary Club, Metropole Hotel, 12.30
17 Shanghai Horticultural Society's Autumn Flower Show, S'hai Race Club
17 Charity Ball, in aid of the Russian Commercial School, Arcadia, 9
17 For. Y. Debate, "Principles of Government," 9 p.m.
21 SSPCA Bridge/Mahjongg, YMCA, 3
22 For. Y. Lecture season opens. Subject: "Introductions to Europe," 9 p.m.
23 ADC, 'George & Margaret', Lyc., 9.15
24 Rotary Club, Metropole Hotel, 12.30
24 For. Y. Debate, "Wife's Influence," 9
24 ADC, 'George & Margaret', Lyc., 9.15
25 ADC, 'George & Margaret,' Lyc., 9.15
25 For. Y. "Hour of Music, 6 p.m.
26 Det Norske Samfund i Kina, Cercle Sportif Français, kl. 8
26 ADC, 'George & Margaret', Lyc., 9.15
29 For. Y. Lecture, "Central Europe," 9

DECEMBER

1 B.W.A. Bridge/Mahjongg, 3 p.m.
1 For. Y. Debate, "Future Life," 9
2 For. Y. "Hour of Music," 6 p.m.
3 O.E.S. Bazaar, 178 Dufour, 10 a.m.-6 p.m.
6 For. Y. Lecture, "Geographic Factors in Politics," 9 p.m.

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A Japanese Officer:
Tale from Chinese Reader

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—An Italian missionary who arrived recently from a railroad town not far from Shanghai told me a pathetic tale of a Japanese army officer which ought to be interesting to your readers. This officer is already fifty years old and was a business man by profession. He had three sons and the two elder ones have since been killed on the China front. At last, the military wanted to take his third or the only son away. At that he felt it hard to bear so he volunteered to go himself in place of his baby son and that explains why he is here.

From the missionary's narrative this officer seems to get along quite well with the townsfolk. When asked about the prospect of the present war, he shook his head violently with eyes full of tears. He sees no immediate cessation of war but he believes Japan will be defeated in the end because she is fighting without a fixed purpose and, even if she does come out victorious, what good will it do the common people of Japan? He is also frank in admitting that their successes so far are mainly due to their superior modern equipment and time-worn patriotism, but the time factor is against them and, should once their supply be withdrawn, they will be left like a crab without its legs. He then confesses that, like others in the ranks, he has Chinese dresses ready for use in emergency. That makes it clear why he tries to be kind to the people in town.

No doubt, the above account will serve as food for thought to Tokyo militarists who are much chagrined by the unexpected Chinese resistance upsetting all their previous calculations and cherished plans for a world conquest. There is no gainsaying the fact that defeatism is prevalent among the lower strata of the Japanese army who now realize well they will gain nothing for their services except empty promises; they can see none of the rosy pictures painted by their warlords. On the contrary, in spite of the fall of Hankow and Canton, there appears not the slightest lessening of Chinese resistance. Hopes are even rife for a final victory. Surely whenever there is hope there is a way especially when China has a very strong man to lead the way. Also the Chinese people are quite used to long sufferings and privations as no other people could, which means, economically, China can outlast Japan. It is therefor about time for the Japanese warlords to wake up to that fact and retract their steps before it is too late.

N. S. C.

Shanghai, Nov. 4.

The Charmer's Voice:
Foreign Interests in China

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—At the conclusion of an editorial in today's paper—an extremely able and interesting article if I may say so—you state that "Mr. Chamberlain has made it quite clear that the help he (Mr. Kodama) will need will not be forthcoming without those reforms in the treatment of foreign interests in China which alone is consistent with Japan's honour and the many undertakings she has given."

I am sure that many of your readers will be delighted to learn the text of such a statement and the date when Mr. Chamberlain made it. The general impression is that he made in the House of Commons on Wednesday last the most cynical announcement ever voiced by a national leader, namely that Britain was equally willing to lend financial aid to the successful aggressor or to his victim if the latter defeated the aggressor by his own efforts. Lord Halifax at Geneva declared that Britain, under its present leadership, was agreeable to barter principle for the preservation of peace, but it was left to the Prime Minister to suggest, by implication, that all the talk of collective security and sanctity of treaties was what we used to call "eyewash," and would be enthusiastically sidetracked if an opportunity presented itself of getting so much per cent.

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N. R.

Shanghai, Nov. 4.

Tsongchow Road:
Who Gets Refugee Rent?

To the Editor of the
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SIR,—Another thing I would like to know is what is being done with the rents from the garages and old houses on Tsongchow Road. They are housing "refugees" and no doubt best part of the money is turned over to some refugee fund but I cannot say I have noticed any such donations recorded in the charity lists. As presumably the "refugees" have been so well looked after, would it not be rather sporting of the landlord to give them a miss one month and instead mend the road with the money, thus giving his regular tenants a break—for once.

UP AND AT 'EM.

Shanghai, Nov. 4.

A Tenant's Experience

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—UP AND AT 'EM certainly hit the mark as regards some of the nuisances of living on Tsongchow Road. I would like to add that I had occasion to sub-let my flat not long ago, but owing to the conditions so aptly described, my tenant left after one month. This fact speaks for itself.

FAIRPLAY

Shanghai, Nov. 4.

Profiteering:
A Very Sad Case

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—At the outbreak of last year's hostilities there lived a couple (about 80 years old) in Hongkew who had to run south of the Soochow Creek in order to save their lives. All their belongings were destroyed and burned by the following bombardment. Since then they have been living in a small room on money heartily contributed by myself and some of my friends. The rent originally amounted to $15 per month but was gradually increased to $20. Today the couple was told to leave the room on November 15 as a foreign soldier rented the same for his girl friend at $50 a month. The old people are very desperate and do not know what to do.

Could some of your readers enlighten me as to whether there exists an organization in Shanghai to protect the interests of the couple as, without doubt, this is not a case for the police. Such unfair profiteering should be stopped.

DISGUSTED WITH SHANGHAI PROFITEERING.

Shanghai, Nov. 4.

German Colonies:
What a Reader Cannot See

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—Your leader of November 3, I admit, shows a favourable change in attitude upon the subject; however I still fail to see why the world turns philanthropical only if it can safely do so at the expense of Germans.

You are quoting Mr. Baldwin, then Prime Minister, to have replied to a question in the House of Commons in December 1935 as follows:

> That no territory under British mandate would be transferred from British sovereignty without the fullest regard being had to the interests of all sections of the population in the territory concerned.

It has not come to my knowledge that similar considerations were entertained when the Mandate System was imposed upon the territories in question after the world war, i. e. I am not aware that the benefit of such consideration was accorded the German part of the population, nor is it on record that the natives have been questioned upon the subject.

ALB. C. ARMBRUSTER.

Shanghai, Nov. 4.

The Y.M.C.A.:
Criticism in United States

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—This might interest the writer of the letter to you kicking about the increase of the Y.M.C.A. rates. In the "Reader's Digest" for October, 1938, in the "Reader's Choice" column is the following:—

> "Forum"—What's wrong with the "Y." by James V. Taylor—with its tremendous resources and its big business directorate, the Y.M.C.A. has gone high-hat on American youth, charges this "Y" official. It retains little evidence of its original spirit; and now represents, he says, little more than a chain of hotels and gymnasiums, run on a business basis."

B.

Shanghai, Nov. 4.

Broken China:
A Way to Mend

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—In answer to TEAPOT DOME, unless the china is smashed to smithereens the cook can have it riveted by a street hawker. I believe one rivet is 3 coppers, but for several, say fifteen, the charge is only 10 cents. In England it is an expensive item, but here ridiculously cheap.

A. E.

Shanghai, Nov. 4.

THE Chairman, Mr. Wang Shoufang, and the members of the Kweichow Provincial Tangpu formally assumed office in Kweiyang, the provincial capital, on November 1, says a report to the "Sin Wan Pao." The installation ceremony was attended by a large gathering of prominent Kweichow provincial, military and civil representatives.

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CHURCH SERVICES

Holy Trinity Cathedral.—November 6.—21st Sunday after Trinity.—Holy Communion (also in Bubbling Well Chapel) 8 a.m. Mattins and Holy Communion, 10.30 a.m. Psalms: 111, 112, Lessons: Ezekiel 14; Luke 14, 1-24. Alcock in B flat. Hymns: 268, 437. Preacher: Rev. W. H. F. Chapman, Chaplain, H. M. S. Birmingham. (Mattins and Holy Communion will be broadcast from Cathedral over Station XQHB 830 kc., 361.2m). Children's Service. 10.30 a.m. Preacher: Rev. E. J. Ottewell, L.Th. Sunday Schools. 3 p.m. Evensong and Sermon. 6 p.m. Psalm: 121, 122. Lessons: Ezekiel 33, 1-20; John 16. Anthem: "Jerusalem". (Parry). Hymns: 353, 438, 176. Preacher: Rev. E. J. Ottewell, L.Th. November 11: Armistice Day. Specially Arranged Service Under the Auspices of the United Services" Association. 10.45 a.m. Preacher: Rev. J. N. L. Bryan, B.A., C.F.

St. John's Pro-Cathedral, Jessfield.—Evening Prayer in English at 6 o'clock. Preacher: Rev. C. F. MacRae, D.D.

Union Church (International and Interdenominational) 107 Soochow Road, (near the British Consulate-General). Officiating Minister, Rev. C. Wilfrid Allan.—10.45, Morning Worship, followed by the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. Preacher, Rev. C. W. Allan; 10.45, Children's Morning Service in the Church Hall; 3, Western District Sunday School in the premises of the German Church, 1 Great Western Road.—Thursday, 3.30, Meeting of Women's Guild in the Church Lecture-hall; Friday, 5.30, Choir Rehearsal.

Church of the Air Programme (XMHD 760 kc. 395m.). 128 Museum Road. Telephone 13661. Call XMHD. Sunday, Nov. 6.

10.00 a.m. XMHD Service. Dr. Lacy L. Little.
8.00 p.m. XMHD Gospel Singers.
8.30 p.m. Gospel Service. Miss A. P. Sharpe.
9.00 p.m. Russian Evangelistic Service and Music.

Monday, Nov. 7-12.
8.30 a.m. Thought for the Day. C. J. Lowe.
12.45 p.m. News Items, NCDN.
1.00 p.m. Devotional Service and Song.
5.00 p.m. Classical and Popular Music.
8.00 p.m. Sacred Concert.
8.30 p.m. Gospel Service and Song.
9.00 p.m. News Items, NCDN.
9.20 p.m. Special Evangelistic Service in Russian.

Noonday Speakers: Miss E. Talbot, Dr. H. G. C. Hallock, Rev. A. E. Small, C. I. M. Friends, Miss Edith Spurling and Rev. J. A. Jacobson.

Fourth Marines Church.—The Fourth Marines' Church service and concert programme to be held in the Metropol Theatre, Sunday at 10 a.m. The worship is conducted by Chaplain Lieut. R. R. Marken and his sermon of the morning is on the theme "Always Faithful."

First Church of Christ, Scientist Shanghai 1647 Avenue Road. Sunday Service 11 a.m. Subject: "Adam and Fallen Man." Sunday School 9.45 a.m. Testimonial Meeting, Wednesday, 6 p.m. Reading Room at the Church open Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 10.30 a.m. to 6.30 p.m. Wednesday from 10.30 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday from 10.30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Community Church.—Rev. J. P. Minter will preach in Community Church Sunday at 11 a.m. service which is dedicated to International Friendship, on the theme, "An Engagement Very Difficult." The Church School will meet at 9.30 a.m. The Young People's Fellowship Group will meet at 5.30 p.m. At 6.30 p.m. Rev. M. Gardiner Tewksbury and a group of young Chinese men and women will speak on the Navy "Y" programme for Service Men.

Shanghai Free Christian Church.—(Evangelical) 681 Hart Road. The Services on Sunday will be conducted as follows:—Morning at 11 o'clock by Rev. G. R. Bolster, M.A., B. D. Rev. T. Maxwell Orr, B.A. Sunday School at 3 p.m. Evening at 6 o'clock by Rev. R. E. Toliver, A.B. Rev. W. J. Picton. Services during the week:—Monday at 8 p.m. Young People's Meeting Thursday afternoon at 5.45 Prayer Meeting. Thursday evening at 7.45—Men's Bible Class.

Endeavourers Church.—Morning service will be held at "The Hut" 495 Yu Yuen Road at 10 a.m. to be followed by observance of the Holy Communion. The pastor, Dr. H. G. C. Hallock, Ph. D., will preside. Mid-week Prayer-meeting will be held on Wednesday at 5.30 p.m. in Room 305, of the Missions Building, 169 Yuen Ming Yuen Road.

Bethesda Gospel Hall (International).—729 Yu Yuen Road, Shanghai Gospel Services are held in: German:—on Sundays at 5 to 6 p.m., on Wednesdays Bible Class for Ladies at 4-5 p.m. English:—on Tuesdays Prayer Meeting at 5.30 to 6.30 p.m. Chinese:—on Sundays Breaking of Bread Meeting at 10-11.30 a.m., on Sundays Gospel Meeting at 2.30 to 3.30 p.m., on Fridays Bible Class at 5.30 to 7 p.m.

"The Hut" 495 Yu Yuen Road. Sunday School at 3 p.m. Evening Service at 6 o'clock. Preacher, Mr. Trevor Gibbs. Bible Classes—Wednesday, at 10.30 a.m. Friday, 7.45 p.m.

Church of Christ the King 235 Rue Bourgeat.—Month of November on Sundays, Masses at 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11 a.m. Masses broadcast XMHA. Benediction at 6.30 p.m., on Weekdays Masses at 7 and 8 a.m., on First Friday, Masses at 7 and 8 a.m. Benediction at 6.30 p.m.

Deutsche Kirche.—Sonntag, den 6, November vormittags 10.30 Uhr Gottesdienst, Reformationsfest.

Sixty Years Ago

FROM THE "NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS" OF NOVEMBER 5, 1878

The weather yesterday was very unfavourable for racing, rain falling nearly throughout the afternoon. The stand was nevertheless graced by the presence of several ladies, and a very large portion of the sporting community. H. E. Chung How and Marquis Tseng were also present. The band under the direction of Mr. Bernard played the following selections:—

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Valse—"Giroflé Giroda" .....Lecoq
Mazurka .....Faust
Quadrille .....Strauss
The American Quick Step
March ....."Conquering Hero"

The result proved that racing is subject to considerable vicissitudes when the weather is not to be depended upon, but the time made, was good under the circumstances.

Peiping Seeks to Open Universities

Peiping, Nov. 4.

The Ministry of Education of the "Provisional" Government is taking measures to reopen in different provinces and municipalities colleges and universities which were closed after the outbreak of hostilities.

This is to be done to accommodate the vast number of students who now have no schools to attend, state Chinese reports.

The Ministry has recently approved a petition submitted by Mr. Tao Shang-min, Commissioner of Education for Hopei, suggesting the reopening of all provincial primary and middle schools in Hopei.—Reuter.

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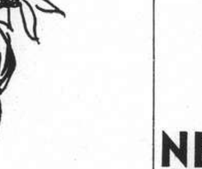

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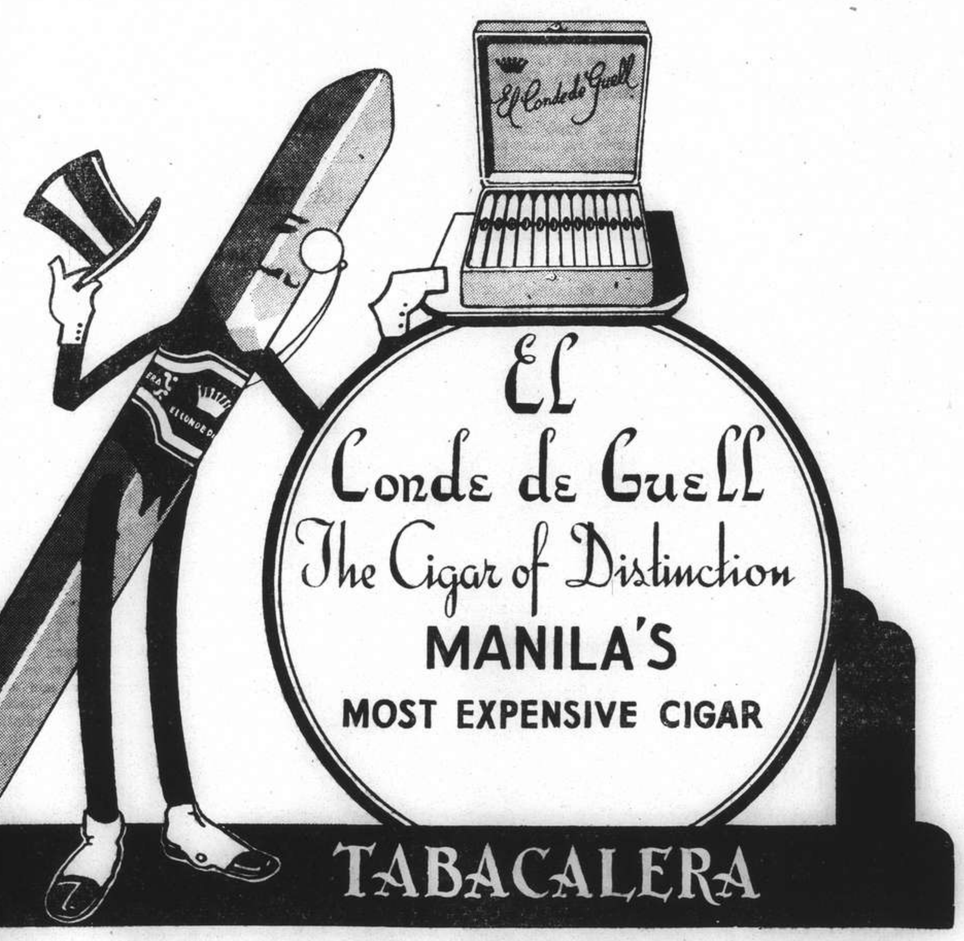

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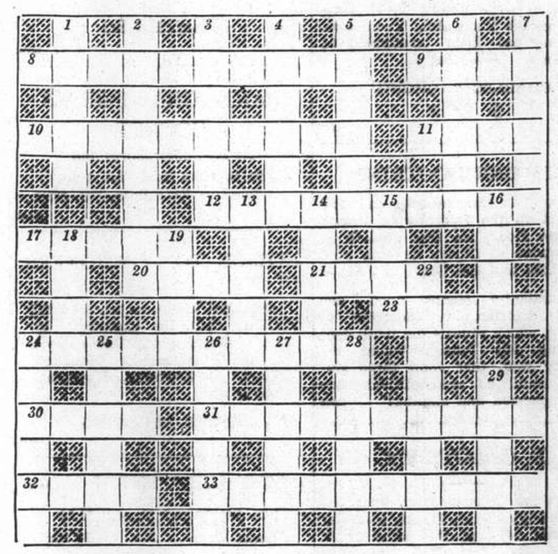

ACROSS

8 This tradesman will deliver C.O.D. without any stop
9 Fivescore and one from a tree
10 Very close up
11 A long way off
12 In tennis a service that is not this has its points
17 He has his eccentricities
20 Tackle in the car?
21 Suitable material for a grass widow to wear?
23 One who drinks like more than a fish
24 It makes 1440 revolutions a day (two words)
30 Make a young animal to be idle
31 Epithet for a Nosey Parker
32 Void
33 Hardly a running description

DOWN

1 He avoids the bar when he takes to port
2 Many strung up undergoing alteration
3 An R.A.F. plane perhaps
4 Horror-struck
5 A stocky fellow
6 A brief chat
7 It is changed as here
13 This needs a change of heart!
14 A foreign soldier
15 One could put this on for a scientist
16 Pa only wants this to make a fine building
18 Character from learning
19 Eager
22 It carried a load of assorted braces (two words)
24 Both this and its end might help in first aid
25 How soporific this is may depend on the rocks
26 Bequeath
27 Eagerness with our end
28 Sound advice to live long is swell
29 Correct with final word first

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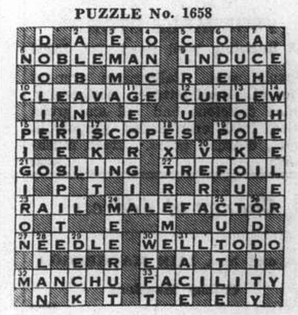

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Presents Endear the Absent

If it were done when 'tis done
then't were well
It were done quickly . . .

In the technique to be adopted in buying Christmas presents for home consumption there appear to be only two courses. Either you decide beforehand exactly what you are going to buy for each person and don't even look at anything else, or you set out on a delicious wander through the shops and go home and endeavour to portion out the results of your labours. If you adopt the second alternative you will frequently find yourself looking in despair at several things left over—for Uncle George into two pairs of silk stockings or Granny into a pair of stream-lined panties simply "won't go," to use an arithmetical phrase.

Do not tear your hair—there is a solution. Uncle George and Granny will appreciate a cup of good China tea more than all the silk of the eighteen provinces. And the sending of it will be such a restful affair to our goodselves. What we have to do is to say the word in Shanghai and all the boxes of tea that we wish are wafted where we will.

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Shanghai is the most wonderful city in the world to shop in, because spread around us are all the treasures of the Orient priced at a tenth of what they would cost in London or New York. Take Peking jewellery, for instance. There are the most glorious barbaric bracelets, necklaces, buckles and clips——clumping masses of gold or silver set with turquoises, topaz, jade, amethyst. They are the very things that Paris is delighting in with the new black winter frocks and they look like a king's ransom.

What do you say to a necklace of cultured pearls? Could a more soul-satisfying Christmas gift be thought of than a pearl necklace? A beautiful one can be had for the equivalent, at the present exchange, of £1! It is impossible to see in what way the "cultured" pearl differs from the "natural" pearl. As everyone knows, a pearl is something grown round a foreign matter which irritates the oyster—whether that foreign matter gets in by accident or design seems beside the point. A good cultured pearl must grow in the oyster on the sea-bed for from six to ten years—the longer the time the better the lustre.

"Blond" tortoiseshell, too, makes a magnificent backing for a man's hair brushes—something "different" as the saying is. Blond tortoiseshell is the forepart of the tortoise's valuable backing. There is less of it than of the rest, so it costs more—but, like most rare things, it somehow is awfully elegant.

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It is a tribute to Chinese art that things Chinese never go out of vogue. They are as much beloved now as they were in the eighteenth century when they were just beginning to become known to a delighted Europe, neither do they grow less beautiful. Alas, there must come an end to the antiques of China—there still seems an inexhaustible store, but you hear on all sides that the old things are increasingly difficult to come by, and the last fifteen months of carnage must have destroyed much. So that an embroidered satin jacket, worn perhaps by a lady of the Empress Dowager's Court, besides being gorgeous in itself is a gift which will increase in value all the time.

Handbags, unstuffed cushion covers, table runners, tea cosies—the old embroideries have been brought under tribute for all these things, and very lovely and practical they are.

Old pictures, whether of the scroll or flat type, make splendid things to send home. They are very nearly as easy to pack as a Christmas card. They are still very moderate in price—unless they happen to be the work of a well-known artist of the past. These, too, are a good investment, for they are inevitably growing fewer and fewer.

Modern China has much to offer also. Consider the exquisite slinky silk gowns designed to adorn the sylphlike figures of cosmopolitan Miss and Madam Shanghai. How well they would become some golden girl at home.

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One side of Shanghai shopping that is not very often remembered is the Russian. Russian culture is very much a part of Shanghai and Russian jewellers and silversmiths, besides being excellent craftsmen, have much to offer that is also unusual. Their silverware has a character all of its own both in form and in design and so have their enamels and jewellery. Chinese wares are certainly more widely known both in Britain and America than is the craftsmanship of the Russians, but when you are casting round in your mind for a Christmas present which shall be out of the ordinary you may find the solution here.

There are present-buyers who swear by the lace and linen shops—and for good wide, all-embracing appeal they are certainly hard to beat. For one thing they adapt themselves to all pockets. From their ample shelves and tables you may select hundreds of dollars worth of fine stitchery and lace in the shape of banquet sets which would grace the tables of Buckingham Palace, or you may pay a few cents and get the daintiest thing in guest towels or a tray cloth. All in their way will be equally perfect. There is always something new in these wonderful shops—someone has brain waves in Chefoo or Swatow. It is marvellous how the supply of worked linens has kept up in spite of shot and shell. The last few months have brought trouble to embroiderers in South China, but those in Chefoo are apparently hard at it—for which we are duly thankful.

Children are very much catered for in these shops. The Chinese love them anyway—and they probably enjoy being ingenious in decorating pinafores, cot covers, rompers, feeders and the like with things to please the small mind.

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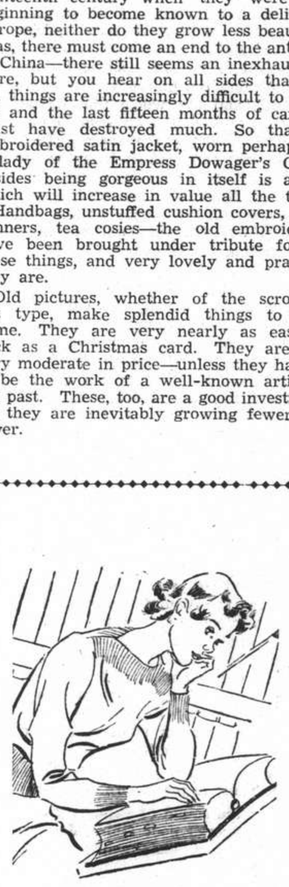
For children, too, are the delicious dolls—old men and women, coolies in matting rain-coats, fat Chinese babies and the like. There is magic for the child in these things. Across the years one can still call up the exotic smell of the shaven-pated Japanese dolls which were the pride of one's childhood. How one adored them! There was no word from China in the matter of dolls in those days!

Whatever your age, wherever you live, and on all occasions, handkerchiefs are needed—the only difference is that they are sometimes needed more than at other times. Therefore when you have turned down every suggestion made to you for Christmas presents and are feeling like jumping into the Whangpoo in your fatigue and despair, fall back on handkerchiefs. They may even be of great value, because of the labour expended on them, and nowhere can you buy more stately handkerchiefs than in Shanghai. Or they can be of coloured linens to match day frocks. Or again they can be of the airiest chiffons. Whatever they may be they carry their welcome with them.

But when all is said and done, the most satisfactory way and certainly the jolliest way for ourselves is to go out and see what the shops have got. We have an excuse for wandering round which will be received with the deepest sympathy by all. It is difficult usually to murmur "I just want to look round" without feeling something of a moron. But "I'm looking for Christmas presents to send home!" explains and excuses all. You will gain invaluable information, too, for use against those days so swiftly hurrying towards you when you will be buying presents indeed—not for the "homelands" but for your own ravening family and immediate circles in Shanghai. It is a good thing to have advance knowledge of where the greatest treasures lurk!



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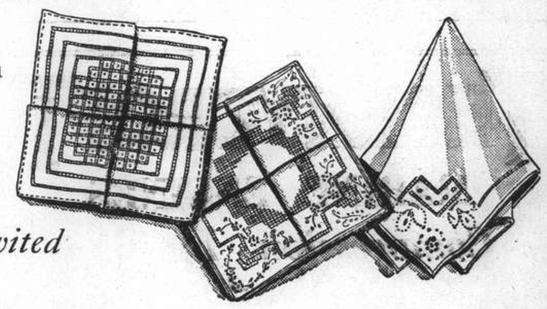

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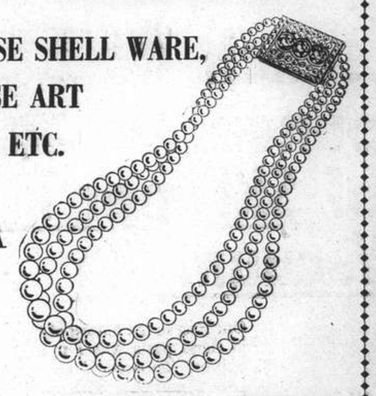

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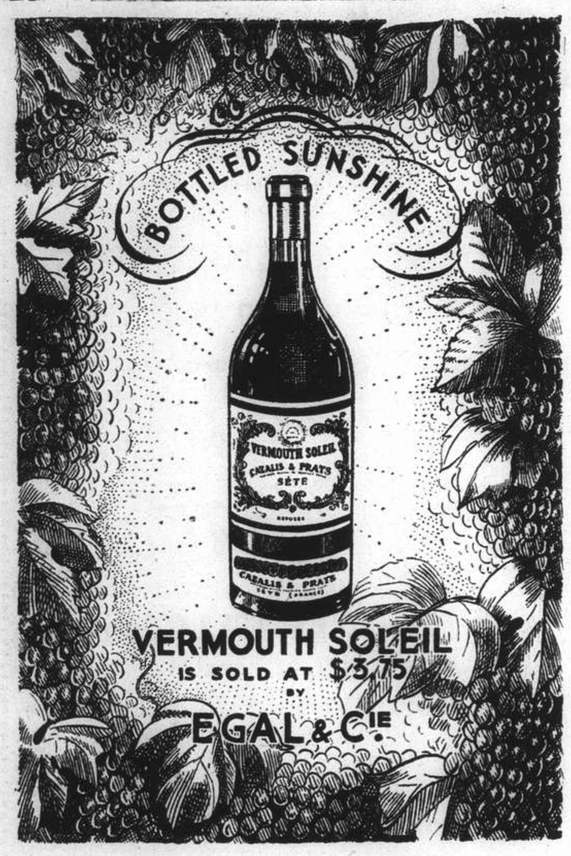

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MARRIAGE

GROSSETT—DEWSBURY.—On November 4, 1938, at Holy Trinity Cathedral, Shanghai, by the Very Rev. Dean A. C. S. Trivett, M.A., B.D., NORMA ETHENE, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dewsbury of Hankow, to GEORGE CECIL, only son of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Grossett of Edinburgh and South Africa. -4949

DEATHS

SHRAP.—On October 20, 1938, at the Country Hospital, Shanghai, HARRIET BURNHAM SHRAP, aged 64 years, the dearly-beloved wife of Mr. Robert H. Shrap. Funeral services over the cremated remains will be held on Monday, November 7, at the Chapel of the International Funeral Directors, 207 Kiaochow Road, at 5 p.m. 12197

GROLL.—On Thursday, November 3, 1938, at the Paulun Hospital, Shanghai, WERNER LUDWIG GROLL, aged 26 years, of "Defag." Removed to the parlours of the International Funeral Directors, 207 Kiaochow Road. Funeral services will be held today, Saturday, November 5, at the Hungjao Road Cemetery, at 4 p.m. It is requested that in lieu of flowers donations be sent to the "Deutsche Hilfe" (Kofa). 12186

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. J. WOTHERSPOON desires to thank all friends who so kindly sent wreaths, donations and messages of condolence, in connection with her recent sad bereavement. -4947

IMPARTIAL NOT NEUTRAL

PLEASE TO REMEMBER!

My lord, out of the love I bear to some of your friends, I have a care for your preservation. Therefore I would advise you, as you tender your life, to devise some excuse to shift of your attendance at this Parliament, for God and man hath concurred to punish the wickedness of this time. And think not slightly of this advertisement, but retire yourself into your country, where you may expect the event in safety, for though there be no appearance of any stir, yet I say they shall receive a terrible blow the Parliament, and yet they shall not see who hurts them. This counsel is not to be condemned, because it may do you good and can do you no harm, for the danger is past as soon as you have burnt the letter: and I hope God will give you the grace to make good use of it, to whose holy protection I commend you.

That famous letter on this day three hundred and thirty-three years ago put an end to the plot conceived and prepared for well over two years for the destruction of King James I and his Parliament. Only the day before Lord Monteagle at Haxton had received it from some anonymous correspondent, probably one of the plotters themselves, for plotters no matter how callously they may regard the fate of their intended victim, have soft spots in their hearts for their friends, and it was through such a sentiment that the whole scheme was brought to naught, and a large number of the schemers,—including the wretched Guido Fawkes himself, caught ready to light the fuse to explode the gunpowder under Parliament,—to the scaffold. Robert Catesby for two long years had been devising a means of getting rid of the King, and as a result of his scheming, sufficient explosive had been smuggled into the cellar beneath the House. He, the previous night, having been warned that the plot had been divulged, refused the advice to flee, and Fawkes satisfied that nothing had up to then been touched in the cellar, returned to his station to set off, at the appropriate moment, the ton-and-a-half of powder which lay hidden beneath a stack of coal and faggots. The authorities acted quickly and in the course of a search which has been repeated ever since prior to the assembly of Parliament, the unhappy Fawkes was apprehended and the whole plot revealed. Nine men were executed for complicity, and England rejoiced that a monarch who had never up to then captured its fancy had so escaped. Indeed it continues to do so, not, perhaps, with all the enthusiasm of former years, but at least with all the joy of that youth which knows but the bare outlines of the story, and nothing of what underlay it.

Nor is it intended here to go into such matters, but rather to think a little of the survival of such quaint customs centuries after all real significance has disappeared from the story. So during the whole of this week groups of smutty-faced schoolboys, some carrying with them a guy, and others without, have paraded the streets of England, shouting with their shrill voices the old refrain of

"Please to remember the fifth of November
And Gunpowder Treason and Plot.
I see no reason why Gunpowder Treason
Should ever be forgot."

and seeking to cozen a few odd coppers from benevolently-minded old gentlemen whose minds travel back decades to their own childhood. Out of sentiment many will have bestowed the required largesse, some wishing that they could attend the final ceremonies on the night of the Fifth, when the inanimate object of childhood's scorn for the past week, as well as a potent appeal to the sentimental, will with appropriate contumely be consigned to the flames of the bonfire without which such a celebration would indeed be a very damp squib. It will be

Guy! Guy! Guy! Smack him in the eye
Chuck him in the bonfire and there let him die

Then to the soumd of exploding crackers and other fireworks poor Guido Fawkes will receive another instalment of the penalty inflicted upon him so many years ago, punished for another year in sentiment if not in reality. How many reading these lines will be carried down the years to some November evening when the grotesque dummy, with often times its quaint mask, nothing like the face of the plotter, reached its ultimate pyre while children sang the old refrain and danced in joy at the punishment of wickedness?

That is all it means in reality to the young. They realize that it was villainous to plot to blow up a King and his Parliament, even though in after years they will come to the conclusion that it might not be so bad a thing after all if this salutary method of dealing with unpopular rulers had not been more frequently resorted to with better success. Not that the English should ever have made a habit of it. Indeed later on after having dealt somewhat harshly with a refractory monarch, they allowed one of his successors to escape from the country, which was probably the best way after all, but there will be many Britons, engaged in the task of filling up income tax returns next January, who will undoubtedly wish that some such salutary method as that devised by Robert Catesby could not be found for dealing with a body which makes such rapacious raids into the pockets of the ordinary citizen. The Fifth of November is dying hard. There is a quality about the English of holding tenaciously to old traditions even at the expense of inconvenience, as witness the Lord Mayor's Show which for a time disrupts the traffic of the great metropolis. Possibly in the not too distant future that piece of pageantry will disappear before the imperative necessities of modern times. Indeed its discontinuance has on occasion been suggested, but each time sternly resisted. It will go eventually before the march of time. But this particular anniversary will probably endure much longer. It has about it much to appeal to the very young, an interesting historical story of a bad man punished, a bonfire, some masquerading which children love so greatly, and then the fireworks. Many old children will hope that the celebration will continue, many young ones might resent it if it passed into abeyance, but what Messrs. Brock and kindred firms would feel about it were such a catastrophe to happen may very well surpass the power of print to portray.

National Service

The British Government has decided to proceed with the scheme for a national service register, and under the direction of Sir John Anderson there will be a mobilization of civilian effort which may be utilized in case of a national emergency. It is not known what this effort will mean but it is believed that about 30,000,000 men and women are eligible in Britain and an organization is to be created to register applicants whose special services will be classified for future use. An important aspect of the scheme is its volunteer character and the enthusiasm displayed in recruiting for different branches of volunteer service in connection with the recent European crisis is an assurance of complete success. Conscription is an unpleasant term in the British vocabulary because while, in the extreme resort, it may become necessary it is a reflection on those great forces of patriotism which have never failed in an emergency. As "Truth" recently stated:

> To embark on compulsory national registration before canalizing this vast flood of voluntary desire to discover the most useful place wherein to serve, is to risk smothering the spirit of patriotism beneath the dust of files. Patriotism stirred not by clamour but by events, patriotism in its deepest and most spontaneous form, would at this moment answer any demand made upon it, provided that the call was clear and strong and simple enough.

It is in this spirit that the new national service register is to be compiled for whatever contrary opinions may be held regarding the course of the events in Europe and the precise details of the settlement there can be no misunderstanding of the new conditions created by the sequence. On a different basis is the national service register introduced in Hongkong where the British population have decades of staunch volunteer tradition behind them. In the Colony a register is being compiled of all British male subjects between the ages of 18 and 55 with special reference to flying, engineering, driving and other mechanical qualifications. All British subjects, with the exception of those specifically exempted, must make a return to the Government of information and particulars required, and the Police are authorized to exercise their powers in the collection of this information. It is difficult to understand why the two schemes differ so basically on so important a principle, but Hongkong has promptitude to its credit in that it inaugurated the scheme before it was adopted at Home.

Anglo-U.S. Trade Pact

Despite many false alarms it really seems now that the long awaited Anglo-American Trade Agreement will eventually be concluded. As this journal pointed out when the negotiations commenced, the questions which had to be decided were in many cases most difficult, involving not only issues between the two countries, but also the interests of the British colonies and Dominions. The list of goods to be considered by the negotiators, presented on behalf of the United States included 400 items, and it is reported that the British list was no smaller. Quite possibly many of the items were settled by the application of general principles, but it has been apparent during the past few weeks that certain goods, particularly motor cars and some foodstuffs offered unusual difficulties with regard to settlement. Those difficulties are, it is reported, now being ironed out, and there is every prospect that in the near future a problem which has for some time vexed both countries will have ultimately been solved. The opportunity will then be afforded the United States to seek similar pacts with the Dominions, and it is expeced that when this has been successfully done more than half of the foreign trade of the United States will be governed by such agreements. That, however, merely serves to emphasize the necessity of doing away once and for all the artificial restrictions which have been placed upon international trade. It may never be possible to return to the principles of Free Trade, but it is clearly proved that the barriers which have been erected in the shape of tariffs have seriously interfered with the economic situation, and consequently had a very adverse effect upon international relations. With America and Great Britain showing the way, it may be that in the not too distant future a better state of affairs will be brought about, and that the economic causes of war will be robbed of much of their effectiveness.

Good Trade Trends

The returns of Great Britain's overseas trade for August show an encouraging strengthening of the financial position, owing to a considerable reduction in the adverse balance of trade. In the first eight months of the current year the adverse visible balance was only £7,935,000 above that of the same period of 1937, whereas in the first seven months of the year it was £12,600,000 greater. These figures do not take into account the invisible exports in Great Britain's favour. A satisfactory feature of British trade is that the newer and lighter industries are improving their position in overseas markets. This applies particularly to electrical goods and vehicles, whose combined export values have increased by over nine per cent., while other important manufacturing groups, including chemicals, oils and fats, cutlery and rubber, have maintained their export position. The cycle trade is one of the branches of industry in which Great Britain's position is particularly strong, more than half the world's total exports of bicycles being British. Exports from Great Britain last year were 831,000 bicycles, and among British cycle manufacturers' largest markets are India, Ireland, the African continent, New Zealand, British West Indies, the Straits Settlements and the Argentine. In Great Britain itself there are over ten million cycles in use out of a total of sixty-one million in the world. Good trading is also reported in a kindred industry, the motor car trade. Exports are well maintained, and in the home market some 300,000 new cars, valued at over £60 millions, are sold every year, while the annual sale of second-hand cars in Great Britain is estimated at no less than 700,000, fetching about £50 millions.

IN PARENTHESIS

Before and After

HE found it easy to get off with her, but terribly hard to get on with her.

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Weather

"I EXPECT you notice a change since I took up the game two months ago, caddie?"

"Aye, it's colder."

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Little Thought

THE only trouble with looking impartially at both sides of a question is that both sides wallop you for being on the other.

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Gun Play

A WRITER says it isn't easy to find out Mexican's politics. That usually comes out at the inquest.

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Hangers On

I LEARN that club swinging has again become popular in the Army.

In the pre-war days it was lead swinging.

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Be Tactful

"It is beneficial to yawn when you feel like it," says a doctor. Not when your rich uncle is telling you one of his un-funniest stories.

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Privilege

"EVERY man should have a voice in the furnishing of his own house," says a writer.

He does, an invoice.

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Moral Moment

THIN men may be honest, but fat men find it a little difficult to stoop to anything low, too.

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Considerate

IN a secluded part of the hall at her home Sarah Bernhardt kept a china bowl which was full of coins. It was for her friends who were in need.

"They know it is there," she explained, "and for what purpose. In this way I can help them without putting them to the necessity of asking for loans."

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Not His Job

A MAN was taken on as a stage-hand at the Frivol Theatre. He was duly installed in his new position, and, as instructed, put in an appearance on the opening night.

"Now then!" shouted the stage-manager as the clock struck eight. "All is ready. Run up the curtain."

This was too much for the new man.

"What are you talkin' about?" he asked in surprise. "Run up the curtain! I'm a stage hand, not a blinkin' squirrel!"

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She Wants a Husband

A YOUNG lady who signs herself "A Lonely Heart" has written to Provost M'Pherson of Dunoon asking:—"Could you please find me a husband?

"I am a very nice-looking girl with no gilt-edged securities other than my looks," she says.

"I am a very good cook, and can sing a little.

"He must be good-looking and have 'some.'

"I shall be at the Pavilion Ballroom a week on Thursday, when I hope to meet my 'fate.'

"P.S.—Do your stuff, Provost! Then I won't need to be lonely any more."

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Senator Soaper Says—

HAS all this been worthwhile? We mean about everybody learning to spell Ccechoslovakia, and then there isn't any?

An unshrinkable woollen fabric, developed for the United States army, is expected to do away with slow strangulation as one of the many hazzards of a career at arms.

In a blast at Lindbergh, for belittling its prowess, the soviet air corps points to its many air records. The new one—for flying off the handle—is conceded.

Gone are many of the older rules for success. The fellow who never watched the clock has lost his job as a radio announcer.

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Swing-Time Kisses

A NEW dance of Tyrolean basis, has been invented by Miss Ursula Littlewood, of Wimbledon. It is called the Swing Waltz, and provides for lots of noise, tap-dancing, and a final kiss—"if both partners feel so inclined."—News Item.

Miss Ursula Littlewood, yearning
To give us a dance free of faults,
Seductively urges the learning
Of one she's composed—the Swing Waltz.

It's base on an Austrian hop; you
Should have lots of fun you have missed;
But, chiefly, before you can stop, you
Many find yourself kissed.

The eight basic steps are instinct with a wild irresponsible joy:
The partners will stamp as they're linked with
A girl or—of course—with a boy.
That kiss, though the prospect's entrancing,
Has risks, and I warm you, my pet,
Just stamp on my foot while you're dancing—
And see what you get!

—By F. G. H. Salusbury in the "Herald."

THE WEATHER

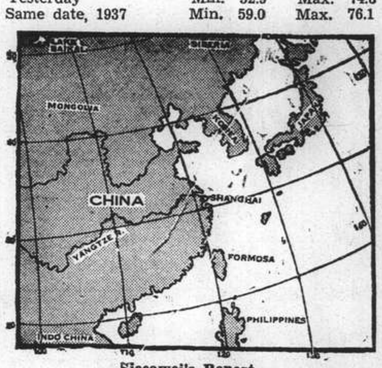
Temperature near Holy Trinity Cathedral Shanghai 24 hours ending 7 p.m.:—

Yesterday	Min.	55.0	Max.	73.0
Same date, 1937	Min.	60.5	Max.	73.0

Rainfall nil.

Temperature at Siccawei:—

Yesterday	Min.	52.9	Max.	74.8
Same date, 1937	Min.	59.0	Max.	76.1



Siccawei's Report

State on the morning of the 3rd:—Anticyclones over Japan and north-western China. Depression over Manchuria. South-westerly to north-westerly winds over northern China and our regions, northerly to easterly over the Eastern Sea and Formosa. Fine to cloudy weather over northern and southern China. Overcast with some rain, getting cloudy over our regions.

State on the morning of the 4th:—Rather feeble anticyclone over China, Korea and Japan. Depression over eastern Manchuria. A typhoon, to the east of Mindanao, is advancing westward.

Probabilities, 4.30 p.m. yesterday:—Fine weather, cloudy at places with moderate breezes from the northern quadrant prevailing over China and at sea. Morning mists along the coast.—Siccawei Observatory.

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Japan Seeks New World Order, Says Premier

War in China Fought Against Communism; Tokyo Ready to Co-operate with Germany And Italy; Serious View Taken in Europe

Tokyo, Nov. 4.

JAPAN, is determined to fight Communism to the "bitter end" to prevent the bolshevization of East Asia and eradicate the "disturber of world peace," the Premier, Prince Ayamaro Konoye, declared yesterday in a radio broadcast to the nation.

"Japan will strike at the root of Bolshevism, which is engaged in machinations behind the Chiang Kai-shek regime," the Premier said.

"Needless to say, Japan does not reject the co-operation of the Powers in East Asiatic affairs and does not intend to harm the rights and interests of third Powers. If world Powers will appreciate the real intentions of Japan and adopt such policies as will conform to the new situation in East Asia, Japan will not refuse to co-operate with them in the interests of East Asia.

"As the world well knows Japan is committed to a fight with Communism to the bitter end because of what the Comintern aims at—the bolshevization of East Asia and disturbance of world peace.

"Fortunately Germany and Italy, members of the anti-Comintern bloc, sympathized with Japan's intentions in East Asia and tendered spiritual assistance to our country, for which Japan is grateful. Their attitude uplifted the spirits of the Japanese nation.

"We Japanese feel keenly that the bond between Japan and these two countries should be strengthened so much the more through the present conflict in China, and Japan is prepared to co-operate with them for the reconstruction of a new order in the world.

"What is needed most in the world now is the establishment of a peace fabric on the basis of justice and equality; and it cannot be denied that various principles which prevailed in the past have actually perpetuated the existing unbalanced conditions.

"The impotence of such international treaties as the Covenant of the League of Nations, for example, can be attributed to the existence of unreasonable principles.

New Peace System Needed

"International justice should be practised, not merely talked about in flowery language. A new peace system should be established on a broad foundation with due consideration to various fields of activities, such as trade, colonization, resources and culture; it should be congruous with existing conditions and contribute to progress in a manner that will parallel the developments of history.

"It is my belief that the establishment of new conditions such as I have mentioned is the only way to end the general unrest that is prevailing all over the world.

"In view of the fact that the establishment of permanent peace in East Asia is what the Imperial Household has cherished always, we Japanese subjects must be constantly aware of the grave responsibility that rests upon us and act to carry out this moral mission.

"Japan, which is pledged to the construction of a new East Asia, now has entered a new period of creation in all fields of national life, and in this sense it can be said that the real fight has just started.

"In order to make ours a really great historic country we Japanese should stride forward with nation-wide co-operation and determination toward the goal of external and internal reconstruction."—Domei.

"Purely Fascist" Speech

Paris, Nov. 3.

Prince Konoye's broadcast address is regarded here as a "purely Fascist speech marking a striking similarity between Japan's stand in the Far East and the attitude of the totalitarian Powers in Europe," local observers said this evening.

The speech therefore indicates that the three signatories of the anti-Comintern pact have co-ordinated their actions and have adopted a general political creed far surpassing their original programme of defence against Communism.

The same observers appear greatly impressed by Prince Konoye's attacks against treaties, by which, they say he deliberately placed Japan among the revisionist nations such as Italy and Germany.

Prince Konoye's reference to "western imperialism" is generally compared to Reichsfuehrer Adolf Hitler's and Signor Benito Mussolini's accusations against treaties, when they spoke of "the imperialism of the democracies."

The fact that the Japanese Premier's outline of Tokyo's new policy coincides with Japan's decision to sever her last links with the League of Nations, is also much commented upon.

The general political principles enunciated by Prince Konoye are considered to be based on the principles of the totalitarian states. And most commentators believe that today's address marks the beginning of an international ideological crusade.

Excuse for Further Acts

The Premier's affirmation that the China campaign is merely the beginning of the "real fight for the construction of a new Asia," is held to be the justification of further anti-foreign activities such as eventual action in the vicinity of Indo-China or the occupation of Hainan Island.

Today's address is also said to be linked to the recent Japanese press attacks against the British Ambassador in Tokyo, Sir Robert Craigie.

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Nine Power Pact Still Valid

Brussels Conference Note Made Public for First Time on Anniversary

Washington, Nov. 4.

On the first anniversary yesterday of the Brussels Nine Power Conference, held to seek a purely peaceful solution of the Sino-Japanese conflict, the State Department published the text of the proceedings with a hitherto unpublished statement by Mr. Norman Davis, the chief American delegate to the Conference, to Mr. Cordelll Hull, Secretary of State.

Mr. Davis' statement declared that the achievements of the Brussels Conference were, among other things:

1. A demonstration of Japan's unwillingness to resort to conciliation;

2. Clarification of the fact that the Japanese continued to insist that the issues were exclusive to Japan and China, whereas the Conference Powers, except Italy, had affirmed that the situation concerned all members of the family of nations.

The statement, finally, emphasized that the Conference had not ended, but was in recess and subject to reconvocation.

In view of the developments following the fall of Canton and Hankow, the Government's reminder of the continued validity of the Nine-Power Treaty, explicit in these documents, is considered significant here at this juncture.

The Nine Power Conference was convened in Brussels on November 3, 1937, and was adjourned indefinitely on November 25. Japan declined two invitations to attend.—Reuter.

Denunciation Expected

Tokyo, Nov. 4.

An early denunciation by Japan of the Nine-Power treaty is expected in both Japanese and foreign circles, it was learned today, but denunciation of the treaty is not expected to carry over into the field of economic development in China.

The Foreign Office spokesman said that the "Open Door" principle would be continued in China in the future providing that trade is entirely segregated from international politics.

Japan considers that previous violations of China's integrity has rendered the Nine-Power treaty ineffective, but the spokesman did not answer a question concerning how much Japan's own violation of these treaty obligations contributed to the decline of the Nine-Power agreement.

The Foreign Office said today that a reply to the United States note of October 6 will probably be delivered to Washington on November 10. On that same date, it is expected that Mr. Hachiro Arita, Japan's new Foreign Minister will make a statement on foreign policies, including the Nine-Power Pact. It is admitted that the government is considering a tri-power substitute for the Nine-Power agreement, which is considered obsolete, including a Japan-China-Manchukuo alliance because any guarantee of China's integrity is inconsistent with China's independence.

Foreign financial circles believe that after Tokyo denounces the Nine-Power treaty, the Japanese government will not interfere too much with American and other foreign interests in China.

This is considered true because foreign business is considered as being highly valuable, and that foreign businesses, in order to preserve existing investments, will make further investments, even to sending good money to retrieve bad investments, which is desirable in the general effort to build a new China.

There is no indication, however, whether anything like the previous privileges will be granted in order to entice foreign investments into China.

The "Holy War"

The "Chugai Shogyo Shimpo," leading independent commercial newspaper in Japan, published an editorial today which is believed to be correctly representative of Japanese opinion.

The editorial said that Japan has acquired political superiority "in the Far East through the Holy War, therefore foreign powers have lost their qualification to discuss East Asia without Japan's understanding."

Any extension of American-managed business in Manchoukuo is also believed unlikely, the newspaper said.

It is also believed that in the event America and other foreign nations make further representations on the basis of the Nine-Power treaty, savouring of pressure on Tokyo, Japan will definitely demand correction of their views.—United Press.

King George Receives Japanese Envoy

London, Nov. 4.

Mr. Mamoru Shigemitsu, the new Japanese Ambassador to the Court of St. James, handed his credentials this morning to King George at Buckingham Palace.—Havas.

"The Times" Seized In Germany

Berlin, Nov. 4.

"The Times" of London was seized upon its arrival on German territory today, this being the sixth time within a fortnight that the paper has been confiscated.—Havas.

King Hopes for Early Peace in China

London, Nov. 4.

An earnest hope that the Sino-Japanese hostilities would be brought to an early end was expressed by the King today in a speech on the occasion of the prorogation of Parliament. "I regret," His Majesty said, "that the hostilities between China and Japan still continue, with great loss of life to both combatants and with considerable damage to the rights and interests of third parties." "I earnestly hope," he added, "that this conflict will be brought to an early termination."—Reuter.

China Rejects Japan's Aims In East Asia

Determination to Fight On Reiterated

Chungking, Nov. 4.

"Typical of Japanese military swagger and spiritual bravado" is how a Chinese official spokesman today described the statement issued on Wednesday by the Japanese Government declaring, among other things, that it would not reject the participation of the Kuomintang Government in the establishment of a new order in the Far East if it repudiated its anti-Japanese and pro-Communist policy.

He termed it as "a grave insult to human intelligence," and said that, as far as written statements were concerned, hardly anything more effective could have been conceived to provoke the Chinese people to greater determination to carry on the bitter struggle and also to shatter the hopes of third parties for an early conclusion of the devastating conflict.

Tokyo's contention that the loss of Canton and Hankow had reduced the National Govèrnment to the status of a local administration, the spokesman continued, was completely belied by facts, "although the Japanese people will not know this until it is too late to save their country from utter ruin.

"The Japanese claim to have captured half China's territory, but fail to add that few Japanese soldiers are safe if they venture too far beyond their precarious lines of communication.

An Enormous Burden

"No less than three-fourths of the territory behind the Japanese lines are under the effective control of the Chinese Government, and even the policing of occupied areas, not to mention the hopeless task of crushing Chinese partisans, is a military and financial burden of such magnitude that the Japanese people cannot afford to bear."

The spokesman reiterated General Chiang Kai-shek's point, made in his recent manifesto, that the war had at present reached a new stage, in which circumstances lay to the advantage of China's defensive warfare.

"Chinese resistance," he announced, "will continue until Japan collapses out of sheer exhaustion. The Chinese nation is standing solidly behind the leadership of the Generalissimo, whose political and moral stature has grown with the present struggle for national existence, and accepts Tokyo's challenge to continue the struggle to the bitter end."

Chinese Not Anti-Japanese

The spokesman went on to refute the contention that Japan was fighting an hostile China to protect the world from Communism.

Statistical facts, he said, proved that the Chinese people were in no way anti-Japanese. Japan had been doing a prosperous trade with China until the undeclared war began.

Regarding Communism, although he denied that such an ideological issue could be cited in defence of an aggressive war, the spokesman stated that it was a fact that neither the political nor the economic structure of China revealed any trace of inclination towards Marxism.

Instances of "Co-operation"

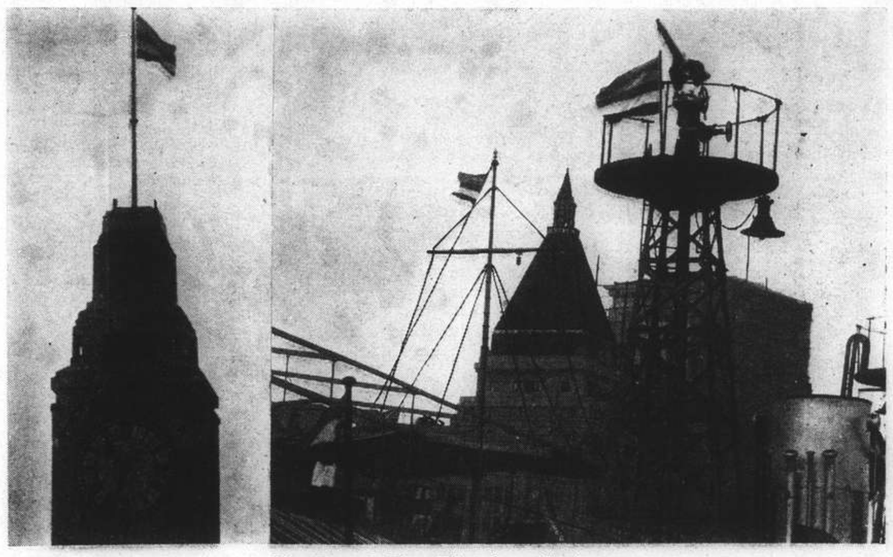
Discussing the argument that Japan was being inspired by a desire to create a new East Asia based on political, economic and cultural co-operation between the two countries, the spokesman commented that "for fifteen months the world has witnessed how the Japanese have tried to create the new order they profess—by killing and bombing not only combatants but also mass civilians, including invalids in hospitals, women in their homes and children in schools."

"While China is not opposed to co-operation with Japan on equal terms as with any other country," he continued, "the Chinese people are determined to oppose to the bitter end Tokyo's offer of political co-operation which, in reality, means the surrender of their sacred right for a free and independent existence.

"China Will Resist"

"Likewise, China will resist all in her power brutal Japanese attempts to force her into economic and cultural co-operation, for by economic co-operation Japan means downright plunder of Chinese resources, while her cultural advances are attempts to force on China a system of slavish education designed to enlist her future generations as cannon-fodder for further Japanese expansion at the expense of all pacific Powers."

As reiterated by the Generalissimo and heartily approved by the People's Political Council, the spokesman concluded, China was "determined to continue the struggle until Japan abandons her policy of aggression and encroachment on China's sovereign rights and territorial integrity."—Reuter.



Five-Barred Flag Flies from Customs

The five-barred flag of the Reformed Government flew over the Customs Building on The Bund, and other Customs property yesterday. On the left is seen the flag on the Custom House staff, and right, the fire float Poo Chi, flying a similar emblem.

German Ship Wrecked by Big Explosion in Oakland

H.A.L. ss. Vancouver Sinks Into Estuary Mud; Bomb Attack Suspected; Investigations Begin

Oakland, Calif., Nov. 3.

TERRIFIC explosion in Oakland estuary today wrecked the Hamburg-American steamer Vancouver which was flying the Nazi flag. The explosion was the second mishap on board a German ship here in the past week. The master of the Vancouver, Capt. Wilhelm Mœssinger, told the United Press he believed the explosion which wrecked his ship might have been a bomb.

"It looks damned suspicious," he said. "The explosion appeared to come from outside the ship and threw water as high as the superstructure. We can't be sure, however, until an investigation has been completed." Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, enemies of America's dying gangland, took charge of the investigation today.

An eye-witness of the explosion, Mr. H. G. Sugars, escaped injury although he was fishing a short distance from the scene of the explosion.

"I heard a sound like a bomb" Mr. Sugars told the United Press. "I saw a huge column of water fly into the air beside the German ship."

Observers noted that if the explosion occurred twenty minutes later, the ship would have been in the deep bay instead of the estuary where it sank into the mud. It was believed the ship would have gone to the bottom of the bay if the explosion had occurred twenty minutes later.

Divers were being loaded into tug boats here this afternoon preparatory to an examination of the damaged ship below the water line. The stern had settled into ten feet of mud and the bow was raised out of the water. The ship was wrecked in the causeway separating Alameda from Oakland.

Passengers Stunned

Several persons on board the ship were reported to have been knocked to the decks and stunned by the explosion. The injured were carried to the ship's engine room where the ship's doctor administered first aid.

The Vancouver carried seventeen passengers and sixty of a crew and was en route to San Francisco to pick up thirty additional passengers who intended to sail for Bremen, Germany.

The Vancouver carried a cargo of lumber, fruit and general merchandise.

Officials here pointed out that the Vancouver was the second German ship to be troubled here in the past week. The first German ship to meet with a mishap here was the ss. Deutschland. Fire broke out in the holds of the Deutschland early this week. The cause of the fire could not be determined, but Federal agents were investigating the case when today's explosion wrecked the Vancouver.—Ulited Press.

Several Believed Injured

Oakland, Nov. 4.

Several persons were believed to have been injured by the explosion, which occurred in the engine room of the ship. The engine room was flooded.

The explosion was heard for miles, and coast guard and other boats immediately raced to the scene.—Reuter.

Zionists Gather In London

British Government To Be Urged to Open Door to Palestine

Jerusalem, Nov. 4.

Mr. Menachem Ussishkin, president of the Zionist Council, left yesterday for London where a meeting will be held on November 11. Most Zionist leaders are now concentrating there, for the few critical days before the Palestine Commission's Report is published.

It is now a universal belief that partition is not likely to form the basis of a British declaration of policy.

Therefore the leaders are doing their utmost to influence the government into assuring that whatever policy is adopted, the utmost immigration possible will be allowed and Jews will not be relegated to a minority status.

Meanwhile the Arabs are reported to be intensifying their lawlessness, accentuating their inflexible attitude, in order to impress the British Government that they will accept nothing less than their previous demands, including a complete stoppage of immigration.—Reuter.

Tel Aviv Jews Meet

Tel Aviv, Nov. 3.

The Executive of the Jewish Agency held a meeting here today to deliberate upon the political situation in Palestine and upon prospects for a settlement of the Arab-Jewish conflict in the near future.

The President, M. Grumbaum, in a brief address, expressed his conviction that Britain's decision in the matter would bring no radical solution to the problem, either in favour of or against the Jews.

"But we do not know whether the Balfour Declaration will be maintained," he added. "Immigration will not be openly suspended but it may be limited to an extent not yet experienced," M. Grumbaum concluded.—Havas.

600 People Interrogated

Jerusalem, Nov. 3.

More than 600 residents of Silath Elartyeh were questioned by the military today during investigations in the Nablus region. After this inquiry, the authorities ordered the demolition of two houses which were found to have sheltered rebels.

Several incidents were reported from Ramleh and Tulkarem.—Havas.

Royal Visit to Kenya Concluded

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

Nairobi, Nov. 4.

The Royal visit to Kenya ended yesterday, when the Duchess of Gloucester flew to join the Duke at Entebbe, from where they took an aeroplane for England today.—Reuter.

Westminster Abbey Search for Spenser's Tomb Proves Fruitless

Bacon-Shakespearean Controversy Remains Unsolved; Gravediggers Sift Holy Ground

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, Nov. 4.

In strictest secrecy, archaeological experts, the clergy of Westminster Abbey and officials of the Bacon Society conducted a search in Westminster Abbey yesterday for the tomb of Edmund Spenser. The search subsequently proved fruitless.

Not the slightest light had been thrown on the Shakespeare-Bacon controversy.

Gravediggers searched, behind canvas screens, in the Poets' Corner.

When the Elizabethan poet, Edmund Spenser, was buried in the Abbey, in 1599, contemporary poets cast laudatory verses into his grave.

It was believed that Shakespeare paid his tribute in this way, and the search was primarily designed to find the parchment bearing his eulogy.

Baconians think this eulogy to be in the handwriting of Francis Bacon (1561-1626) who, in Macauley's words "moved the intellects that moved the world."

They believe that, if this is established, their claim that Francis Bacon wrote Shakespeare's plays and that Shakespeare was merely the man whom Bacon used as a shield, at a time when play-writing was regarded as a low profession, will be settled for all time.

Hope was felt by the searchers yesterday, when one lead coffin was revealed by the gravediggers. It was not, however, definitely known whether the coffin was that of Spenser.

All the ground surrounding the casket was carefully sifted, but, in the words of one of the searchers, "it has proved absolutely nothing."

The only thing of interest which came to light was that blocks of thick masonry were discovered, which might prove to be one of the parts of the foundations of the original Abbey.

After yesterday's search, it was learned that any further efforts to search for parchments was extremely unlikely.—Reuter.

S. Africa to Recognize Italian Conquest

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

Pretoria, Nov. 4.

The Italian conquest of Abyssinia will be recognized by the Union Government when a new Minister is appointed to Rome, in succession to Dr. Heymani, who will retire shortly.—Reuter.

Anglo-Reich Plan To Divide World

Paris Journal Fears Possible Results in Collaboration Pact

Paris, Nov. 4.

"Great Britain is working for an Anglo-German alliance," declares the independent newspaper, "Paris-Soir," in commenting on the foreign affairs debate in the House of Commons this week.

It is not a question simply of non-aggression, but of definite collaboration, the journal believes.

"Mr. Chamberlain agrees to save Signor Mussolini from his difficulties, but he regards him as a subordinate in the new London-Berlin axis," the "Paris-Soir" declares.

It asks: "Does Mr. Chamberlain envisage a constitution of Mittel Afrika which would extend to the Cape from a London-Berlin-Rome-Tripoli axis?"

The newspaper suggests that Mr. Chamberlain is aiming at a "new partition of the world to fit totalitarian States and the British Empire."—Reuter.

Berlin Hails Chamberlain View

Berlin, Nov. 4.

The German press, in warmly welcoming the recent speech made by Mr. Neville Chamberlain, the British Prime Minister, in the House of Commons, expresses full appreciation of Mr. Chamberlain's rearmament measures.

Press comment states that the British Prime Minister's programme does not envisage a continental army of the kind of British Army during the Great War. This, it adds, allows the conclusion to be drawn that Great Britain's vital needs will not be sought on the continent, but in the Empire.

Great Britain, the press continues, wants to strengthen her armaments because she wants to negotiate with others on an equal footing. The same claim has not prevented Germany from concluding a Naval Agreement with Great Britain on a 35 per cent. basis, it is pointed out.

Is Great Britain prepared to do the same in other spheres of armaments? the German press asks.—Reuter.

Preliminary Conditions

London, Nov. 3.

The programme for preliminary Anglo-German negotiations depends upon the outcome of Franco-German parleys, which are expected to result in a declaration similar to that signed at Munich on September 30 by Mr. Neville Chamberlain and Herr Adolf Hitler, observers here said this evening.

Certain political quarters now believe Franco-German conversations may be more complete than that of the brief Munich parleys between Mr. Chamberlain and the Fuehrer.

Competent quarters are understood to have made no important progress in examining the German colonial programme.

A visit to Britain by Field Marshal Hermann Goering is considered altogether improbable for some time.

Sir Nevile Henderson, British Ambassador to the Reich, now here on a holiday, will shortly return to Berlin. It is learned he has received definite instructions about re-establishing diplomatic contacts and clarifying subjects to be discussed at a later date.—Havas.

Anxiety for Foreigners At Kuling

Fear that Chinese Troops May Seize Food

Hankow, Nov. 4.

Keen anxiety is again being felt for the position of foreigners in Kuling.

Japanese forces have completely surrounded the mountain on which Kuling is situated but apparently do not intend to occupy the actual summer resort.

At the same time, it is estimated that there are between 1,000 and 3,000 Chinese troops somewhere on the mountain side within the cordon, whose food supplies are rapidly dwindling.

On the other hand, the Kuling residents are comfortably stocked with food for a few months and now it is feared that the Chinese soldiers may seize the supplies of the foreigners.

British and American authorities are very anxious to co-operate in any way possible with the Japanese to arrange the evacuation of their nationals.

This, however, may prove a very difficult task, as of 200 residents of Kuling, including 60 British, there are many elderly folk, among whom are many invalids, who would probably refuse to evacuate.—Reuter.

King, Queen Return To London

London, Nov. 3.

The King and Queen returned from Sandringham this afternoon and this evening saw a presentation at a West End theatre. This unexpected attendance of the sovereigns, accompanied by the Duchess of Kent, provoked loud and enthusiastic rounds of applause from the audience.—Havas.

Official and Wife Shot In Tientsin

Terrorists Badly Wound Education Commissioner

Tientsin, Nov. 4.

For the second time this week, terrorists struck in Tientsin today.

Gunmen this afternoon attempted to take the lives of Mr. Tao Hsiang-min, Commissioner of Education, and his wife, both of whom were shot and seriously wounded.

The shooting occurred at the Vila West Lake Hotel, which is frequented by officials.

The victims were immediately rushed to hospital and, although badly hurt, are expected to survive.

Several days ago an attempt was made on the life of Mr. Chen Chung-fu. Terrorists visited his home in the British Concession and, not finding their victim home, they shot and killed his servant.—Reuter.

Commons Veto Labour Move

Government Leaders Strongly Refute Bitter Criticism of Home Defence Preparedness

London, Nov. 4.

THE Labour motion that the House "express its grave concern over admitted unpreparedness to protect the civilian population when the country was brought to the brink of war" was defeated in the House of Commons yesterday by 335 votes to 130. The debate on civil defence, which followed the motion, was opened by Mr. Herbert Morrison, Labour Party leader and member for South Hackney.

Mr. Morrison declared it was "preposterous" to try to put the blame for Air-Raid Precautions deficiencies on the local authorities, because they had no statutory responsibility until this year. Delay, he said, and the "muddled circulars" from Government departments were really responsible for the position in September. The Labour leader contended that the country was gravely unprepared and that the Government under-estimated the vital consideration of Air-Raid Precautions in relation to the conduct of diplomacy and defence.

Mr. Morrison disclaimed any intention to make Party capital out of the position, but he said that, as good citizens concerned with the safety and security of the people, the Labour Party were genuinely and seriously worried about the state of the Air-Raid Precautions.

He congratulated Sir John Anderson, the Lord Privy Seal, on his appointment, and assured him of the support of all Parties and of the local authorities, in the execution of his task in connection with Air-Raid Precautions.

Mr. Morrison expressed doubts, however, whether Sir John Anderson would have the necessary authority and executive powers for his task.

Would he, the Labour member asked, be able to go to the various Ministries, which the Prime Minister had listed on Tuesday as being concerned with Air-Raid Precautions, and give orders and instructions there?

Greater Powers Required

Mr. Morrison said he was not convinced that the new piece of machinery would prove effective unless the Lord Privy Seal had those executive powers and was not only to preside over the co-ordination committees of Ministers and Civil Servants.

He admitted that since Sir Samuel Hoare, the Home Minister, had been at the Home Office, considerable progress had been made. The general burden of his criticism, however, was that there had been serious and avoidable delays, which had discouraged both the local authorities and individual volunteers.

In these circumstances, it was, he thought, a very big thing to have already obtained 1,000,000 Air-Raid Precautions volunteers.

Giving instances of deficiencies in the supply of Air-Raid Precautions equipment, including fire-fighting appliances and medical supplies, Mr. Morrison referred to the agitation, in some quarters, for compulsory service.

He said that he could not understand the purpose of advocating compulsory service, when they had been shown that they did not have nearly enough material for available volunteers.

Civilian Evacuation Plans

He also criticized the inadequacy of the Government's action in the matter of evacuation of parts of the civil population, and he urged provision of adequate shelter for everyone, despite the admittedly high cost involved.

It was only their duty to themselves, as representatives of the people, in their conduct of foreign affairs and national defence.

In conclusion, Mr. Morrison said that provision to minimise the effect of air warfare and to restore the confidence of the civil population were matters of as much strategical, diplomatic and national importance as the needs of the active defence services.

Sir Samuel Hoare replied at once for the Government.

He first expressed his gratitude to Mr. Morrison for the help the Labour member had given him in his capacity as Chairman of the Air-Raid Precautions Committee of the London County Council.

Achievements Stressed

Continuing, the Home Secretary pointed out that the Government at no time had ever been faced with so complicated and so vast a series of problems as had been raised by the Air-Raid Precautions.

He claimed that the system of Air-Raid Precautions, already in existence in Great Britain, compared favourably with that in any other country except Germany, which had begun to prepare very much earlier.

Notable achievements, he declared, included recruitment of the greater part of the 1,000,000 Air-Raid Precautions volunteers in six months—at a rate of enrolment which compared favourably with that of the Kitchener Army in 1914 and 1915—and the distribution, in the course of a few days, of more than 38,000,000 gas masks.

Trenches, Sir Samuel Hoare went on, sufficient to shelter 1,000,000 people had been provided in London at short notice.

Government's Shelter Policy

He then proceeded to announce the Government's intention to consider a much more comprehensive shelter policy.

The Home Secretary said he believed that they ought to provide blast-proof accommodation for all who could not provide it for themselves. Wherever possible, bomb-proof as well as blast-proof shelters should be made available.

He could not, however, anticipate the details which Sir John Anderson would develop on a later occasion.

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Latest Exchange

The closing Interbank selling rates yesterday were as follows:

Sterling 8d. U.S.$157/8c.

LONDON METALS AND N.Y. CROSS RATE

London, Nov. 4.

Both spot and forward positions moved 1/8d. lower from yesterday's levels.

	Nov. 3	Nov. 4
London spot	19 5/8d.	19 1/2d.
" forward	19 7/16d.	19 5/16d.
" gold	146/1 1/2d.	146/1d.
London/New York:		
One pound	U.S.$4.7578	$4.7593
One U.S. dollar	50.443d.	50.427d.

—Reuter.

Lords Approve of Italian Pact

Viscount Halifax Tells Of Government's Plans; Aid for Spanish People

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, Nov. 4.

The motion to enforce the Anglo-Italian Agreement, proposed by the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, Viscount Halifax, in the House of Lords yesterday, was carried by 55 votes to 6.

Speaking of the effects of the Spanish civil war, Lord Halifax said that Signor Mussolini had always made it plain that he was not prepared to see General Francisco Franco defeated.

As long as the war continued, His Majesty's Government would not relax in any way its interest in the non-combatant section of the Spanish population.

The Government, he went on, was now considering what steps it could take to ensure the safe passage, into Spain, of provisions to be distributed to non-combatants by approved relief organizations.

The Government was also about to double the contribution of £10,000, which it had made earlier, to the International Commission for the relief of Spanish children.

He added that, since the beginning of the war, the British Navy had evacuated 30,000 Spanish refugees.

Viscount Halifax declared that, since the appointment of the Commission to investigate aerial bombardments, there had been no air-raids on civilian areas comparable to those earlier in the war.

The British Government had no intention of relaxing its interest in the welfare of the non-combatant section of Spain, and, throughout the war, Great Britain had followed the line of absolute non-intervention.

Ethiopian Conquest Issue

Regarding the recognition of Italian sovereignty in Ethiopia, the Foreign Secretary said that it was no good crying over spilt milk.

He declared that people could not hurl insults and challenges and expect to arrive at settlements.

The Earl of Cavan told their Lordships of the interview he had had in the last few weeks, when he was in Italy as a member of the Anglo-Italian Commission.

He said that a week after the crisis he was received by Signor Mussolini, whom he thanked for his part in the Munich settlement.

In reply, Signor Mussolini took "my hand and said nothing for a little while. Then he spoke: 'Goodbye. I love England. I want to put our relations on a new basis.'"—Reuter.

S. Africa Wanted to Remain Neutral

"Daily Mail" Tells of Stand During Crisis

London, Nov. 4.

The Government of South Africa during the September crisis, informed the British Government of their intention to "remain neutral as long as possible in the event of a European war" the diplomatic editor of the "Daily Mail" announced today. He declared that he obtained this information from most reliable sources.

This matter is said to have formed a subject of conversations between Mr. Oswald Pirow, the South African Defence Minister, now in London, and Mr. Malcolm MacDonald, the Secretary for the Colonies and for the Dominions.

The South African Government's decision, the paper says, was officially communicated to London on September 17 by Mr. C. T. Te Water, the High Commissioner here.

"This intimation came at the climax of the crisis before it was known that Mr. Chamberlain would leave for Munich," the editor continued. "Mr. Te Water informed Mr. MacDonald that South Africa's neutrality would mean asylum would be given ships of all Powers, even the British Government's enemies, in all South African ports with the exception, of course, of Simonstown, a British naval base."—Havas.

Japan's Foreign Policy To Be Explained

Mr. Arita Expected to Give Interview to Press

Tokyo, Nov. 4.

Concrete measures to be adopted by Japan in an effort to harmonize Japan's position in "New Asia" with the positions of foreign Powers in "Old Asia" will be clearly mapped out in the near future by Mr. Hachiro Arita, new Japanese foreign minister, it was reliably reported here today.

Mr. Arita's statement, it was learned, will be issued in the form of a press interview aboard the train he will take when he reports his assumption of the foreign affairs portfolio to the Ise Grand Shrines. It is understood the trip will be made some time next week.

The new Foreign Minister's statement, it was reported, will closely follow the fundamental principles enunciated in the Government's statement which was issued on November 3, and elaborated by the Premier, Prince Ayamaro Konoye, in a radio address the same day.—Domei.

Yangtze to Be Opened as Soon As Conditions Permit

Gen. Hata Unable to Name Date ; Japanese to Carry On Advance If Necessary ; Ships' Stations Wanted

Hankow, Nov. 4.

"THE Yangtze is quite safe and will be reopened to foreign shipping when military operations permit, but I cannot say when that will be," said General Shunroku Hata, when interviewed by foreign correspondents late yesterday.

Asked if he was still planning to march on Chungking as he announced at Nanking, General Hata replied, "Yes, if necessary," but would not venture an opinion as to this prospect. "I am a military man, not a politician," was his answer to this and another question regarding the effect of the capture of Canton and Hankow.

The interview took place in a Chinese bank building which had been converted into a German restaurant before the Japanese occupation, and is now a military headquarters. General Hata said that he did not know how long his headquarters would remain in Hankow.

Commenting on General Chiang Kai-shek's announcement of new tactics, General Hata said, "We are quite prepared for them," but admitted that not all of China's military power had been destroyed, and that the Chinese are "good fighters."

Martial Law Inconvenience

General Hata said that a number of soldiers were to be quartered in Hankow and military supplies were to be brought up, "for Hankow has been a centre of anti-Japanese and communist propaganda, so the Japanese Army has much to do."

A correspondent said that closure of the gates to S.A.D. 3 between 6 p.m. and 6 a.m. inconvenienced newsmen in their work, and the General replied, "Martial law will be relaxed as soon as possible."

As the interviewers departed from the former Sze Ming bank building, Japanese sentries refused to permit them to re-enter the ex-British Concession until a man from headquarters intervened.—Reuter.

Ship Movements Requested

Closer co-operation on the part of third Powers in giving notification of the movements of foreign ships on the Yangtze was requested by Japanese naval authorities in memoranda circulated among the members of the consular body by Mr. Masayuki Tani, Japanese Minister-at-Large, it was announced yesterday.

The naval authorities requested that steps be taken to have all neutral vessels take refuge as far up-stream as possible from Hankow in view of the extension of the zone of hostilities as far inland as Shasi and Changsha.

It was anticipated that heavy fighting would take place in this area, the note said.

"There is now no section of China over which Japanese planes cannot operate," the memorandum stated.

Tht text of the memoranda sent by Mr. Itsuo Goto, First Secretary of the Embassy, to his colleagues on behalf of Mr. Tani, and by Mr. Shinrokuro Hidaka, Japanese Consul-General, to the Senior Consul to be circulated among the Consular Body, is as follows:

Hostilities Zone Extended

"1. During the campaign for the capture of Hankow, heavy fighting took place in the waters above Hankow up as far as the neighbourhood of Changsha, following the fall of that city, the Upper Yangtze as far inland as Shasi and Changsha, as well as all of the waters adjacent thereto, has become the zone of hostilities. It being anticipated that intensive fighting will take place in this zone, we desire to request that steps be taken to have all neutral vessels now in this zone take refuge as far up-stream as possible.

"2. It is requested that information concerning the positions and movements of all neutral vessels now on the Yangtze above Hankow, as well as in the waters adjacent thereto, be given through the Japanese Senior Naval Officer stationed at Shanghai.

"3. While the hearty co-operation which certain Powers have hitherto accorded us in our efforts to prevent the occurrence of incidents with third Powers is deeply appreciated, it is earnestly hoped that those Powers which have not heretofore informed us regarding their vessels will in view of our frequent requests, give us closer co-operation in the future.

"In the requests we have made in the past, information was asked concerning the positions of vessels 'on the Yangtze above X point.' And in view of the fact that there is now no section of China over which Japanese planes cannot operate, we desire to call attention to the fact that what has been desired is information of vessels in the 'whole stretch of the river above X point,' irrespective of the distance at which such vessels are located."

Policy Statement Said Vague

Japanese Press Ask For More Definite Action ; Varied Comment Made

Tokyo, Nov. 4.

A number of Japanese newspapers today criticize the Government's statement, issued on the eve of the anniversary of the birth of Emperor Meiji, for alleged vagueness or failure to refer to the anti-Japanese "machinations which are still being carried on by those third Powers who persist in extending assistance to the Chiang Kai-shek regime."

However, on the whole, press comments uphold the Government's statement and the address made by Prince Konoye, the Premier.

Under the heading of "The new order in Asia," the "Japan Advertiser," an American-owned and managed paper, says that the statement made by the Japanese Government reveals "quite clearly the underlying meaning of Japan's objectives and, therefore, it must be taken as one of the most important pronouncements of Japanese policy in years."

Its essence, continues the journal, is contained in the paragraph that Japan seeks to establish a "new order" in East Asia by the creation of a political, economic and cultural bloc between Japan, Manchoukuo and China in order to perfect a joint defence against communism.

The "Japan Advertiser" says that what the Powers naturally fear most about this declaration of Japan's policy is what is to become of their rights and interests in China.

Asiatic Monroe Doctrine

They are told in the statement, says the journal, that Japan expects them "correctly to appreciate her aims and policy and adapt their attitude to the new conditions prevailing in East Asia."

The paper says this means that Japan expects the Powers to subscribe to her newly-enunciated so-called Monroe Doctrine of Asia.

The "Kokumin Shimbun" believes that the Government statement forms a declaration of independence of East Asia or a Monroe Doctrine of East Asia, enunciating as it does that Japan, by pronouncing her predominant position in East Asia, especially China, "expresses her opposition to the colonization of China, or the turning of China into an amphitheatre for a struggle for supremacy among imperialistic powers."

The paper further declares that the Nine Power Pact, which "aims at a political and economic encroachment of China under the pretext of equal opportunity and the open door policy," is entirely out of keeping with the new situation in East Asia.

The "Asahi Shimbun," while upholding the Government's statement, urges the Government to form a definite programme for the carrying out of the general policy put forth in the statement, especially in connection with the economic reconstruction of China. In this connection the journal declares that Germany and Italy should be well repaid for the economic sacrifices sustained by them for the anti-Comintern cause.—Reuter.

Terrorists Open Fire On Doctor

Cantonese Gravely Wounded In Connaught Road

There was another attempted murder last night and the victim, Dr. Liu Zoong-sz of Canton, is now lying in a serious condition with two bullet wounds in his head, and under special guard.

Garbed in black "Sun Yat-sen" style uniform, the assailant made his murder attempt at 6.45 p.m. yesterday at the residence of Dr. Liu—Lane 108, 10 Connaught Road. He fired three shots, two of them striking Dr. Liu in the head and the third catching a passing pedestrian in the ankle. His work done, he fled, and up until a late hour last night his escape was still successful.

Owing to the circumstances of the situation, the place at which Dr. Liu is being treated was not revealed last night but it was stated that he is being kept under close guard and that the wounds may not prove fatal.

It is suspected that this is another of the long line of political murder affairs with which Shanghai has been afflicted recently.

Mr. Dies Subpoenaes Mr. Homer Martin

Washington, Nov. 3.

Mr. Martin Dies, Democratic Representative of Texas and chairman of the Congressional Committee investigating un-American activities, today subpoenaed Mr. Homer Martin, president of the United Automobile Workers of America, to testify on Wednesday concerning the automobile "sit-down" strikes in Flint, Michigan, last year. Mr. Martin failed to respond to an earlier subpoena.—United Press.

Herr Hitler to Deliver Important Speech

Berlin, Nov. 4.

Herr Hitler will deliver an important political speech next Sunday at Weimar, on the occasion of the congress of the National-Socialist party's Thuringia branch.—Havas.

Launch Robbed By Pirates

A steam launch operated by the Ya Hsing Co. in Changhsu, while proceeding from Soochow to Changhsu, was held up and pirated by a band of outlaws at a place known as Hu Tang on Thursday, according to a message received here yesterday.

The pirates decamed after stealing about $2,000 worth of property, including cash, jewellery and clothing. A report was made to the police of Changsu by the captain of the launch after its arrival.

Prince Cantacuzene Rearrested

Bucharest, Nov. 4.

Prince Alexander Cantacuzene, one of the leaders of the dissolved pro-Hitler 'Iron Guards' party, was rearrested by the police on October 27, it was revealed here today. The Prince was arrested last April but escaped from his warders by jumping out of a moving train while being taken to Bucharest. The Prince was sentenced to nine years' imprisonment for contempt of court.—Havas.

Finality of New Czech Frontiers Emphasized

Berlin, Nov. 4.

The finality of the new Czech frontiers is emphasized by German political circles following the Vienna arbitration award. These circles add that any speculation to the contrary is out of place.—Reuter.

Marriage at Cathedral

The wedding group after the marriage yesterday at Holy Trinity Cathedral of Mr. George Cecil Grossett and Miss Norma Dewsbury. Miss Dewsbury is from Hankow. Dean Trivett officiated at yesterday's ceremony.

Japan Seeks New World Order, Says Premier

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Meanwhile, business quarters are sceptical regarding the practical consequences of Japan's new policy. They claim that the fundamental conditions of world economics remain unchanged, although they admit the international importance of the development of the Japanese-Italian-German totalitarian ideology.

The same quarters are convinced that the Far East will need European financial co-operation despite Prince Konoye's revisionist policy and irrespective of the future political régime in power.

The high cost of the China campaign will prevent Japanese finances from providing the credits necessary for the reorganization of Japan's economic structure, these business circles conclude.—Havas.

French Press Gloomy

Paris, Nov. 4.

Gloomy forebodings for the future of the white races following the Japanese victory in the Far East were again expressed by the press today in commenting on the broadcast made by Prince Konoye, Japanese Premier, yesterday.

The most desolating point of this business, says "L'Epoque," signifies that the loss of Asia is sooner or later being prepared with the complicity of Germany and Italy.

"To face the menace, which is increasing against civilization," says the paper, "not two united nations (Great Britain and France) but a united Europe is necessary."

"Le Peuple" expresses the belief that the attitude taken by Japan is the result of knowledge that she need not fear common defence by the nations who are wronged.

"The time is passing," the journal concludes, "when Anglo-American action is feared; the policy of Mr. Neville Chamberlain, British Prime Minister, took away this fear."—Reuter.

Imperialism Admitted

Washington, Nov. 3.

Mr. Cordell Hull, Secretary of State, refused to comment this evening upon the broadcast address delivered by the Japanese Premier, Prince Fumimaro Konoye, on the anniversary of the birthday of the late Emperor Meiji, "Father of Modern Japan." In the course of his speech, Prince Konoye outlined Tokyo's policy in China and spoke of East Asia for the East Asiatics.

Prince Konoye's speech is considered here most important in its effect upon the future of relations between the Western powers and the Oriental nations.

Observers stress the hardening of the Japanese attitude and the now open admission of imperialism, which are regarded as inspired by the consequences of the Munich Accord.

The sequels to the September 30 Agreement, it is further noted, put an end to the policy of parellel action by the United States and Great Britain. This policy was previously advocated by Mr. Cordell Hull, U.S. Secretary of State, as the one to be followed in those regions where the two Powers possessed common interests.

It is now thought that the U.S. will have to take a clearer stand in the whole situation because of the categorical tone of the Japanese Premier's declarations.

Some authoritative critics denounce the weaknesses and ambiguities of U.S. policies in the Far East since the beginning of the Sino-Japanese conflict. They recall that Mr. Hull declared the United States did not wish to go beyond protests against untoward actions.

Furthermore, these critics point out, Japan has constantly obtained her supplies and war materials from the U.S.

Choice Before Washington

Washington will soon have to choose between several clear-cut courses open to it; either taking common action with the interested European powers, or embarking upon action alone to defend American interests, or else admitting the new state of affairs and modifying traditional policies in China.

None of these solutions has as yet the unanimous support of the executive powers. The first comes up against present prejudice against co-operation with the four chief European powers.

The second entails the risk of dragging the U.S. into a war with Japan and therefore meets with public opposition arising from general anti-war sentiments in the country.

The third solution is strongly opposed by another section of the public, however. This section appears convinced now that a policy of concessions to the aggressive Powers is equivalent to recognizing their supremacy. Such a policy will also render national defence more difficult and more costly, it is said.

The present basis of the U.S. Government's policy, it is noted, rests upon the enforcement of the Monroe Doctrine to the American Continent right from Alaska to Cape Horn. The Government now tend to identify the geographical lines of the continent with its defence lines.—Havas.

Warning to World

Washington, Nov. 4.

The Japanese Government's recent declaration euphemistically cloaks Tokyo's real purpose of informing the world that Japan regards herself as the master of Asia, the "Washington Star" declared today in an editorial.

In view of the recent United States demand of recognition of the "Open Door" in China, the Japanese Government's move savours strongly of being deliberate defiance, the newspaper said.

"It seems likely that the time is approaching, perhaps soon, when Japan will proceed from warnings to actions," it added.

The "Washington Post" declared that it will not be easy to secure China's co-operation despite the optimistic tone of Tokyo's new declaration.

Citing China's determination to resist, the intact Chinese armies still remaining, and the warning made by Mr. Seihin Ikeda, Japanese Minister of Finance, that greater sacrifices are ahead, the newspaper added:

"It is perhaps for this very reason, the subjugation of China is proving far more formidable than anticipated, that Japan now has seen fit to lift the earlier ban against dealings with the Kuomintang.....provided that the Kuomintang agrees to become Tokyo's puppet."—United Press.

Canton's Fall Blamed On Leaders

Orders for Recapture of City Given

Chungking, Nov. 4.

The military and civil authorities in Kwangtung are held responsible for the fall of Canton, and have accordingly been ordered by the Central Government to "atone for their blunders."

This announcement is made in a joint circular cable issued yesterday to all overseas Chinese by the Central Overseas Party Affairs Planning Committee and the Overseas Affairs Commission. The cable is issued in response to numerous incuiries made by overseas Chinese concerning the Canton debacle.

The circular says that China's national policy of resistance, as reiterated by General Chiang Kai-shek in his recent statement, remains unaltered. The Government has taken all necessary measures to retrieve the situation, and ordered the military and civil leaders of Kwangtung (that is to say, Generals Yu Han-mou and Wu Te-chen) "to redouble their efforts in order to atone for their blunders."

In conclusion, the message expresses the hope that overseas Chinese will continue to have confidence in the Central Government and assist it in the campaign of resistance.—Kuo Min.

British Invent "Barrier Of Death"

Paris, Nov. 4.

A group of British engineers have invented a "barrier of death" through which no army can pass, "Le Matin" announced here today.

The paper added that a description of this sensational discovery, which is being kept secret, was made last night to Sir Thomas Inskip, the Minister for Co-ordination of Defence.—Havas.

Commons Veto Labour Move

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Dealing with personnel, Sir Samuel Hoare said that one of the Lord Privy Seal's principal duties would be to deal with the question of a national register and the rational utilization of national service.

The Home Office had reached the conclusion that there was a need for nearly 500,000 trained Air-Raid Precautions workers, who would have to be paid for whole-time service during a war.

An important step, which would not be long delayed, would be making clear what categories of men and women could volunteer for Air-Raid Precautions work, secure in the knowledge that their services would not be required elsewhere in an emergency.

The Home Secretary also made the claim that the evacuation plans of the Government were far in advance of anything which had been worked out in any other country.

In conclusion, the Home Secretary declared: "This country can make as good a system of passive defence as any in the world."

Sir John Anderson Speaks

Sir John Anderson, in his first speech as Minister responsible for civilian defence, then rose to speak.

He declared that, if they succeeded in the task ahead, they would create, within a democratic framework, a more solid, sure and flexible structure than was possible under any other system.

The recent improvised evacuation scheme, he went on, had demonstrated the practicability of a plan on those lines, which would be worked out without delay.

A shelter policy, much more comprehensive than anything yet done, Sir John Anderson continued, must also be developed.

In connection with regional organization, which was vitally important, they should now create something which would form the backbone of wartime organization, and, at the same time, assist peacetime planning

There were many other very important problems, to which he could not yet make reference.

In conclusion, the Lord Privy Seal declared that he did not intend to work to a rigid time-table, but to proceed as rapidly as possible with consistent and sound workmanship.

He gave his Treasury colleagues assurance that he would never support any organization that was not directed strictly towards a practical end.

German Arms Offer

In the course of the debate, Lt.-Col. Sir Edward Grigg, National Conservative member for the Altrincham division of Cheshire, referred to Germany's armaments.

There were many reasons for believing, he declared, that in the next few weeks Germany would renew her offer to abolish bombing aeroplanes.

"We should welcome such a step enthusiastically," Sir Edward Grigg said.

"We should recognize, however, that it is not being made in our interests, but in Germany's, because she, as a central European Power, has great interest in securing the abolition of the only weapon which could be used to attack her on her own soil.

"This is one instrument of collective security which we may still be held to possess.

"If there is such limitation or abolition," he concluded, "it must be on conditions fair to us and to the small nations of Europe, who will have much to say on the point."

Progress with "Terriers"

In winding up the debate, Mr. Leslie Hore-Belisha, Secretary of State for War, said that, henceforth, the same attention would be paid to anti-aircraft defence as had always been paid to the maintenance of the Navy.

This year, the Government had decided to create five Territorial divisions, numbering 100,000 men.

"We have taken the risk of getting men in advance of equipment," Mr. Hore-Belisha explained, "because it is better to have men trained in advance of equipment than full equipment without men capable of handling it."

One of his fears, he continued, had been that those who pressed the need for full equipment might impede the tide of recruiting, but nothing had stemmed the tide of enthusiasm of the Territorial Army.

The design for a 3.7 gun had finally been approved in 1937, Mr. Hore-Belisha said, and, at the present rate of production, the whole five divisions would be substantially provided by the middle of the coming year.

That would be a record that could be favourably compared with anything in any country, even in wartime, he concluded.—Reuter.

Joint Anti-Red Move in Berlin Planned

Berlin, Nov. 3.

The first public Japanese-Italian-German anti-Comintern demonstration will be held here on Sunday, November 6, in the Kaiserhaus Hotel. Prominent members of the Japanese and Italian communities here will be present for the affair, during which a Kabuki drama, "Eguseingura," will be presented by the Deutsch Theatre troupe. The drama was translated from the Japanese by M. Toku and Herr Erwin Baelz.—Havas.

Lord Privy Seal Given Assistance

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, Nov. 4.

The Postmaster-General, Major G.C. Tryon, has agreed to place the services of Sir Thomas Gardiner, Director-General of the Post Office, at the disposal of Sir John Anderson, the Lord Privy Seal, for work in connection with civil defence. Sir Thomas Gardiner will undertake the duties of planning and development.—Reuter.

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Pearl River May Open For Small Boats

Larger Craft Not Expected For Three Weeks

Canton, Nov. 4.

When interviewed by Reuter to-day at his headquarters at Tungshan, Mr. Tanaka, Chief of Staff of the Japanese South China Expeditionary force, expressed concern regarding the non-return of the Chinese population to Canton.

This development, he said, was holding up the realisation of Japan's desire to restore trade and business to normal.

The Japanese had no nominee in mind for the head of the proposed new régime in South China, Mr. Tanaka continued, and all efforts for the organization of a local government obviously depended on the return of the population.

Mr. Tanaka stated that the Japanese navy, with a view to reopening river traffic as soon as possible, was doing its utmost to clear the Pearl River of mines, about a hundred of which had already been removed.

When asked to estimate the date when the river would be reopened, the officer said: "In three or four days' time it will be possible for small ships to travel, but larger vessels (river steamers) will not be able to navigate the river for two or three weeks"

Rounding Up Chinese

Mr. Tanaka declared that, in co-operation with the navy, the army was at present engaged in clearing up areas to the south of Canton on both banks of the river of Chinese irregulars, while in certain areas there were still forces of regular Chinese troops.

He said he expected to arrange regular mail channels within a few days.

It would be at least three months before the water and power supply of Canton was restored, Mr. Tanaka went on, and Japanese engineers were being sent to Canton from Formosa for the purpose of investigating the damage done to the water and power plants, although no plans had been formulated regarding repairs.

Mr. Tanaka declined to reveal anything regarding the intentions of the Japanese military in South China or the progress of their present operations.—Reuter.

THE Department of Finance of Kansu province, says a report to the "Sin Wan Pao," has drafted measure for the control of commodity prices in the province. A draft of the proposals has been submitted to the Provincial Government for detailed study, it is reported.

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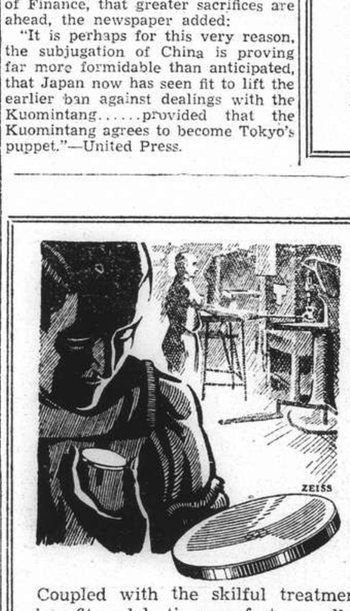

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THE preacher at Mattins in the Holy Trinity Cathedral tomorrow will be the Rev. W. H. S. Chapman, B.A., Chaplain of H.M.S. Birmingham.

TODAY a South African war veteran and an old respected resident of Shanghai, Mr. J. H. Richards, of 2 Peking Road, celebrates his 69th birthday.

THE "offer gold to the State" movement in Kiangsi province, says a report to the "Sin Wan Yeh Pao," up till the end of October, brought in more than $20,000.

THE Monthly Corporate Communion of the Junior Fellowship will take place in the Holy Trinity Cathedral tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock. The celebrant will be the Rt. Rev. P. Lindel Tsen, D.D.

WU Mei-li, says a report to the "Sin Wan Yeh Pao," the ringleader of a group of women traitors in Swatow, has been arrested by the Chinese authorities there and sentenced to death.

CARDINAL Mundelein, Archbishop of Chicago, is arriving in the Vatican City today to discuss the resumption of diplomatic relations between the United States and the Holy See, usualy reliable Catholic circles said.

M. ANDRE Francois-Poncet, former French Ambassador in Berlin, who is about to proceed to his new post as French Ambassador in Rome, was decorated by the French President, M. Albert Lebrun, with the Grand Cross of the Legion of Honour.

THE Duke and Duchess of Windsor have taken a two-year lease on a private house in Boulevard Souchet, on the outskirts of the Bois de Boulogne of Paris, where they intend to take up residence soon. The house is a modern three-storey one.

A TOTAL of $27,540, says a report to the "International Daily News," had been raised by October 31, among local Chinese, in contributions towards the purchase of winter clothes for Chinese fighting units. The funds are being remitted through a local bank for transfer to the responsible authorities in Changsha, the report states.

FELLOWSHIP of the Air, XMHD, Sunday Service at 10 a.m. Prelude, Hallelujah, Chorus, Trinity Choir Announcements, His Yoke is Easy, B. B. Choir, Prayer, Come All Ye Faithful. Scripture. When the Roll is Called up Yonder. Sermon by Dr. Lacy L. Little, in the Sweet Bye and Bye. Dismissal, Organ.

A MEETING of the Royal Asiatic Society will be held in the Wu-Lien-Teh Hall, 20 Museum Road, on November 10 at 5.30 p.m., when a lecture will be given by Rev. Earl H. Cressy B.D., on "Chinese Tomb Figures," illustrated from the collection of the lecturer. The chair will be taken by Mr. Arthur de Carle Sowerby, the meeting being open to the public.

WHILE British and American negotiations with the Japanese authorities over the question of the re-opening of the Yangtze to international shipping have met with little success, says a report to the "Wen Wei Pao," it is now learned that the Japanese authorities are organizing a large shipping firm, to be given a Japanese Government charter, which will operate shipping services along the Yangtze.

MR. Ling Kang-hou, secretary-general of the Shanghai Bankers' Association, and the employers' representative to the International Labour Conference held recently in Geneva, returned here aboard the Conte Rosso on November 1, says a report to the "Ta Wan Pao." Mr. Ling toured the United States to study industrial conditions there following the Geneva conference, it is stated.

THE infant daughter of Field Marshal Hermann Goering, who was born on June 2, was christened yesterday according to Evangelical rites, it is stated in circles close to the Goering family. The religious ceremony was performed by Bishop Ludwig Mueller, who also officiated at the wedding of Marshal Goering and his wife, the former actress, Fraulein Emmy Sonnemann. It is stated that Chancellor Hitler is godfather to the child which is named Edda Goering.

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Soprano Solo "O Divine Redeemer" Chas. Gounod
Myra Bancroft Olive
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Scripture Reading
Mrs. S. C. Farrior
Soprano Solo "The Penitent" Van de Water
Myra Bancroft Olive
(Accompanist:—Mrs. E. A. Vitenson)

A MEETING of the Science Group of the British Universities Society was held yesterday evening at the residence of Dr. J. G. Ledwidge, 114 Peking Road, to draw up a programme for the coming session, The following were present:—L. H. Barton, D.L.C., Ph. C., J. H. Blakelock M. SC., M.B., C.H.B., D.P.H., W. E. Abbott F.I.C., M. SC., A.R.C. SC. I., R. Cowan B. SC., A.I.C., A. E. Fletcher F.I.C., N. Maas B. SC., A.M.I.C.E., M.I.N.A. P. C. Mar M.D.D.SC., D.A.R.C. SC. I., F.I.C., G. H. Outhaite B.A., B. SC. R. G. Sheppard B.S.C. It was decided to hold meetings at 6 p.m. on the first and third Thursdays of each month. A lecture would be given at each meeting by a member of the Society or any non-member who could speak with authority on any interesting Scientific subject. Members were asked to submit a list of subjects upon which they would be willing to submit a paper. The first lecture of the Society will be given on Thursday November 14, at 6 p.m. by Dr. J. G. Ledwidge on "The Cultivated Soils of China." This will be followed by a lecture on December 1, by Mr. Fletcher, Chief Analyst of the Shanghai Municipal Council on "Forensic Chemistry."

Custom House Has Five-Barred Flag

"Reformed Government" Standard Flies on Bund And From Vessels

Persons walking on The Bund were surprised yesterday morning to see the five-barred flag of the so-called Reformed Government flying over the Custom-House, the Customs Examination Building on The Bund Foreshore, and all Harbour Fire Brigade and River Police vessels, including the former Pootung Point River Police Hulk. The flag was hoisted shortly after dawn yesterday, after a long period during which no flag at all had been flown from Customs buildings and craft. It could not be ascertained from official sources, however, by whose order the five-colour standard, once the emblem of the new-born Chinese Republic, had been raised.

It was not the first time that the five-bar flag had been seen in the downtown district of the International Settlement. On March 28, last, when the Reformed Government was inaugurated in Hongkew, the red-yellow-green-white-black banner was hoisted, at high noon, over the office of the Consolidated Tax Bureau in Kiukiang Road, near Honan Road. This flag, however, was pulled down by the tax officials themselves during the early part of the same afternoon for some reason not disclosed. Only north of the Soochow Creek and in territory outside Settlement and French Concession limits did the flag remain permanently, marking official buildings.

The vessels that flew the five-barred flag yesterday included the Harbour firefloat Poo Chi, which displayed the flag from both fire-fighting towers and from the staff at the stern, and all River Police patrol boats.

Integrity Not Upset

It is understood that the flying of the "Reformed Government" flag over local Customs buildings and from Customs vessels in the Shanghai harbour does not indicate a material change in the Customs administration here.

"Five-barred flags have already flown from the Government buildings in the North in territory no longer controlled by the *de jure* Government. But the administration of the northern Custom Houses has not been materially altered. As a matter of fact, during the last two decades, it is well known that various Custom Houses have on several occasions exhibited Chinese flags of different designs under *force majeure* exercised by local *de facto* authorities, while the Custom Houses remained under the control of the Inspectorate.

"Ordered by Reformed Regime"

Asked yesterday to make a statement, the Japanese Embassy spokesman at the daily press conference, said that he was not in a position to do so. It was asserted, however, that the "Reformed Government" had ordered the five-barred flag to be raised.

Presentation Made to Sergt. Aksenoff

At a pleasant gathering at the Central Police Station on Thursday, a large number of his comrades presented to Sergeant J. T. Aksenoff a silver service on the occasion of his marriage, which took place yesterday. Chief Inspector J. Barry, M.M., who is in charge of the Station, made the speech of presentation. Sergeant Aksenoff is a popular member of the uniformed branch of the S.M.P.

Hankow's Refugee Zone Mapped

Japanese soldiers at Hankow, by medium of a map, urge Chinese refugees to enter the zone set aside to house them.

Italian Armistice Day Observed

Wreath-Laying Ceremony At Italian Club; Ships Fly Flags at Half-Mast

Foreign warships in port and many merchant vessels were "dressed" yesterday on the twentieth anniversary of the signing of the armistice between Italy and Austria which brought to an end the Great War hostilities on the southern front on November 4, 1918. Some days later, on November 11, Italy's allies signed an armistice which ended finally their war with the Central Powers.

The day's celebrations included the laying of a wreath at the Italian Club in memory of the country's dead, and members of the local Fascist party and officers of the Italian naval and military units in Shanghai were present at the ceremony.

Between 11 a.m. and noon flags were flown at half-mast on all warships in honour of the Italians killed during the Great War, and following this observance the national flag of Italy flew from the mastheads of all the vessels.

Italian naval and military units also observed the day with special services as is the custom each year, these being held on board the gunboats Lepanto and Empreza Carlotto, and at the billets of the Savoia Grenadiers.

Fined $40 for Keeping $10,000 for Himself

Tsu Zang-ching, a rickshaw puller, was fined $40 in the First Special District Court yesterday for having held and disposed of $10,000 which sum had been left in a rickshaw by a bank-messenger on September 20.

It was stated that Tsu was one of three rickshaw pullers who conveyed three messengers from the Chien Tien Cheng Native Bank on Chefoo Road to the Chien Hwa Native Bank on Ningpo Road. One of the messengers left a bundle containing the money in the rickshaw and the coolie picked and later gave $360 to each of the other two coolies and disappeared.

Japanese Asking for Co-operation

Positions of Vessels on Yangtze Required

On Wednesday the following memorandum was sent from Mr. Goto, First Secretary of the Embassy, on behalf of Minister Tani, to his colleagues, and from Mr. S. Hidaka, Japanese Consul-General, to the Senior Consul to be circulated among the Consular Body:

During the campaign for the capture of Hankow, heavy fighting took place in the waters above Hankow up as far as the neighborhood of Changsha. Following the fall of that city, the Upper Yangtze as far inland as Shasi and Changsha, as well as all of the waters adjacent thereto, has become the zone of hostilities. It being anticipated that intensive fighting will take place in this zone, we desire to request that steps be taken to have all neutral vessels now in this zone take refuge as far upstream as possible.

It is requested that information concerning the positions and movements of all neutral vessels now on the Yangtze above Hankow as well as in the waters adjacent thereto be given through the Japanese Senior Naval Officer stationed at Shanghai.

While the hearty co-operation which certain Powers have hitherto accorded us in our efforts to prevent the occurrence of incidents with Third Powers is deeply appreciated, it is earnestly hoped that those Powers which have not heretofore informed as regarding their vessels will, in view of our frequent requests, give us closer co-operation in the furture.

In the requests we have made in the past, information was asked concerning the positions of vessels "on the Yangtze above X point." And in view of the fact that there is now no section of China over which Japanese planes cannot operate, we desire to call attention to the fact that what has been desired is information of vessels in the "whole stretch of the river above X point," irrespective of the distance at which such vessels are located.

Japanese Destroy Food Boats

Armed Trawlers Burn Junks In Yangtze Where Shanghai Draws Supplies

Inexplicable action by the Japanese authorities in the Yangtze delta which supplies Shanghai with most of its food and dairy products is causing consternation to the farmers and traders between these ports and Shanghai, the "North-China Daily News" learnt yesterday.

Small fleets of armed trawlers and launches have been formed by the Japanese and have descended on the junks, lighters and sampans engaged in the transport of farm products and many boats have been burnt and destroyed for no apparent reason. The result is that the food situation may be affected owing to the feeling of uncertainty among the farmers and boat owners engaged in the trade.

Shanghai has long depended on the hinterland of the Lower Yangtze for its supplies and in the early stages of the hostilities commendable enterprise on the part of foreign and Chinese interests resulted in opening up new sources and creating new routes in order to put these supplies on the Shanghai market. With the closing of the Yangtze, these new routes proved extremely useful and the work of transporting goods to and from ports in the Delta gave local shipping companies of all nationalities employment at a time when such work held together the remnants of the trade.

Hard on Everybody

Generally, conditions in the delta have been quiet as the country people are industrious and peaceful, happy to be left alone for the tide of war swept past them as the Japanese advanced up river. Recently, the Japanese have being paying attention to the delta and armed trawlers and launches have been placed on patrol and have concentrated on the Chinese junks and sampans which carry the farm produce to the points of loading arranged by the ships which eventually transport the goods to Shanghai. Many of these junks have been set on fire and no explanation of this action is forthcoming, although it is suggested that it is being taken against the farmers and boatmen for trading with third party nationals.

The Japanese authorities were severely criticized for burning fishing fleets in South China and the extension of this form of activity to the Yangtze delta is likely to have serious consequences.

EIGHT persons were indicted in New York on Saturday on charges of participating in 1934 in a U.S.$427,950 armoured truck hold-up, the biggest cash robbery in the history of New York.

FUNERALS

Mr. A. Mackie

The funeral took place at the Hungjao Road Cemetery on Thursday afternoon of the late Mr. Alexander Mackie, whose death occurred at the General Hospital on Tuesday night after a short illness. Deceased who was 39 years of age was a native of Greenock, Scotland. He served for a time in the Royal Irish Constabulary afterwards came to Shanghai where he joined the Municipal Police but left the service several years ago.

The services was conducted by the Rev. C. Wilfred Allan of the Union Church. The pallbearers were:—Messrs R. J. White, F. C. Collison, A. A. Skoberg, O. Hall, J. C. Terry and J. Huddleston. Among those sending wreaths were:—St. Andrew's Society of Shanghai, The Central Club, Mr. & Mrs. O. Hall, Tommy and Jimmy, Catherine Estival, Shepherds Ltd., Mrs. K. Merrigalli, Chinese Staff of Hudson and Co., Zee Wha, Zee Van Tsao, Sung Tse Yue, etc.

Messrs Thomas Macdonald and Co. were in charge of the funeral arrangements.

Mr. A. D. Lavrentieff

In presence of many mourners including many of his old pupils, the funeral took place at the Lokawei Cemetery yesterday forenoon of the late Mr. Alexander Dimitrievitch Lavrentieff, whose death occurred at the Russian Hospital on Wednesday afternoon. The service was conducted by Father Modest assisted by choir of female voices. The pallbearers were Messrs Ch. Metzler and L. Arnoldov, Professors Zakharoff and Lamansky, Mr. H. S. Efimoff, Mr. Malinovsky. At the grave a short address was delivered by Professor Lamansky. A beautiful floral cross from sister and niece was lowered into the grave with the casket.

Among those sending flowers were:—Society of Russian Jurists, Shanghai, Mr. N. N. Serokusoff, Mr. A. B. Ginsbourg B.L., Russian Historical Society, Mr. & Mrs. A. Joffe, Mr. Malinovsky. etc.

Messrs Thomas Macdonald & Co. were in charge of the funeral arrangements.

Sixteen Years for Attempted Murder

Sentence of sixteen years' imprisonment was passed in the First Special District Court yesterday on Kung Yung-fah, an ex-convict, who together with others had made an attempt on the life of a private watchman named Han Pao-hwa at Lane 322 Canton Road, on October 8.

Mr. T. Y. Chang, municipal advocate, outlining the case stated that the gang stole the watchman's pistol, hit him with a hammer and then fired two shots at him. The watchman was discharged from hospital recently.

French Police Seize 75 lb. of Opium

Seven Chinese Arrested in Two Raids

Two large seizures of opium were made by the French police yesterday afternoon in raids on two houses. The total amount of drug was 75 lb., and seven Chinese were arrested.

Raiding No. 170 Rue Wagner, the police seized 50 lb. of opium but the occupants of the house fled on the arrival of the police. Following a search, two suspects were arrested and activities switched to the corner of Rue Bluntschli and Rue Lagrene, where five more Chinese were arrested and another 25 lb. of opium was found hidden under a bed in a lodging house at 312 Boulevard de Montigny.

Concerts for School Children

Maestro Paci, conductor of the Municipal Orchestra, has reported that it has been found possible again to make arrangements for the giving of educational concerts for school-children in different Shanghai schools.

It may be remembered that in the winter of 1936-7 a number of these concerts were given and proved highly successful.

Two concerts have been arranged for November. The first of these will take place at the Cathedral School for Girls, 425 Avenue Haig, from 3-4 p.m. on Tuesday, November 15, and the second at the College Municipal Francais, Route Vallon, from 3-4 p.m. on Thursday, November 17.

Programmes of the concerts will be arranged by the leader of the Municipal Orchestra in collaboration with the principals of the schools.

Echo of August Murder Trial

Alleged to have been implicated in a murder at House 5, Lane 2, Yunnan Road on August 4, two Chinese, Chin Ah-foh and Hu Pao-yen, appeared in the First Special District Court yesterday when they were remanded until next week on a writ of detention.

Mr. Thomas S. Lea outlined the case in court and stated that the men had been arrested in the Central district on Thursday. The murder in which the men are alleged to be implicated occurred on August 4 when the victim was Chen Foh-ling. Two men arrested several days after the murder were given seven and a half years' imprisonment last month.

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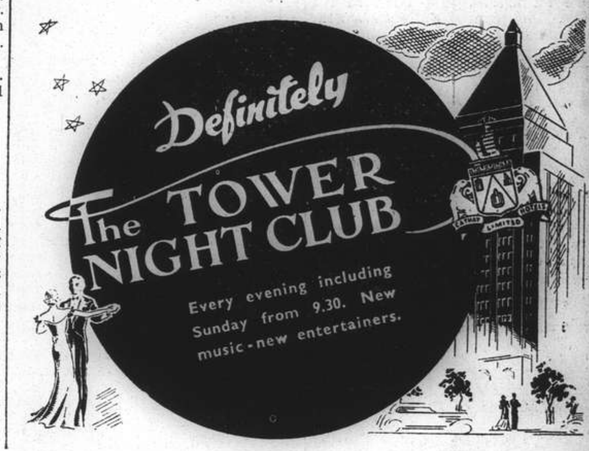

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THE SPORTS PAGE

Autumn Race Meeting Heads Big Week-end Programme

Interest Centres on Criterions; Seaforths Meet Savoia at Soccer; Navy Plays Rugger Club

BY "CHING"

THE Shanghai Autumn Race Meeting opens today with the first saddling bell at 1.15 p.m. The afternoon's programme consists of nine races on the flat, two of which are handicaps. The star race of the afternoon is the Criterions, this being the open classic at one mile, and though it may bring out only five starters, they are all good ones, with three to four of them having equal qualifications to come out the winner of this important race, which should give pointers to next Wednesday's classic race at 1¼ mile, when all should meet again.

The first three races are for 1938 griffins, the first one at ¾ mile with all winners barred. The other two are handicaps, distances being 7 furlongs, and 1¼ mile. In the furlongs race a small field is expected, but in each of the other two races at least ten or more may weigh out. Winners may be Rabais, R. B. Moller's mount, and Port Bradda. The fourth race, at 1¼ mile, may see White Parade, Merry Jester, and Roehampton fighting out the finish, possibly in this order.

The 2 miles' race comes next and should prove a most interesting one to watch. Twenty-five ponies have entered, including some of Shanghai's best, and a fair-sized field may be seen out. Conditions of the race allow good class ponies, such as Gold Vase, Mou Tan Hua, Night Express, The Swan, and Un Un Un to weigh out with a 6lb. allowance, whilst others, including Duke of Cornwall, Cottonlight, Merry Memories, and White Wine can all go out with a 15 lb. allowance. It is an open race, but I think it may finish with Gold Vase winning, followed by The Swan and Un Un Un.

The Criterions is the sixth race on the card, and in this classic mile I expect to see Bober (G. P. Gram), Cordon Rouge (H. Maitland), Frostylight (R. B. Moller), Merrylight (C. B. Moller), Rye (A. F. Clark), and possibly Benlomond (I. H. Howell). And this six must open up prospects of making a really good and interesting race, and give scope for free betting in not only the win and place departments of the pari, but in the forecast pool as well. Frostylight can be relied on to run well, but I think the finish will be between Merrylight and Cordon Rouge, and I think this is how the result will read, unless Rye springs a surprise on all.

The last three races are for third class ponies, entries for all good, assuring full-sized fields, without any pony in either one of the race standing out as hot favourite. Winners may be Sober Morn, White Major, and Drumalla, with Houdini, Claverton, and Port St. Mary all good to

U.S. Prepares for Polo Invasion

Thirteen Ranking Players Invited to Trials; Four Ten-Goal Men Included

New York, Nov. 3.

The United States Polo Association took its first step today to prepare for the English invasion next year in the International Series.

The Association invited thirteen ranking American players to compete in the American trials to be held May 1, from which the squad will be selected to defend the International Cup against England's challenge.

The four top-flight polo players, Tommy Hitchcock, Cecil Smith, Stewart Inglehart and Michael Phipps were all invited to partake in the trials. Phipps was accorded a ten-goal rating yesterday by the Polo Association, marking the first time since 1925 that the American team has had four ten-goal handicap men as the nucleus of the international team.

Others invited to participate in the trials include Eric Pedley and Raymond Guest, who boat eight goal handicaps; E. J. Boeseke Jr., William Post II, E. T. Gerry, G. H. Bostwick and Winston Guest, all men with seven-goal ratings; and C. V. Whitney and Robert Gerry Jr., who have six-goal handicaps.—United Press.

Oldfield to Retire From Cricket

Sydney, Nov. 4.

The Australian wicket keeper, Mr. W. A. Oldfield, who is now forty years of age, announced his retirement from first class cricket, although he will still play in club matches.—Reuter.

C.S.F. Hardcourt Tennis To Begin Today

Sixteen Matches Arranged; Time Schedule Given

Postponed from last week-end on account of rain, the C.S.F. Open Hardcourt Tennis Championships will get under way today with sixteen matches scheduled. Four Courts at the French Club will be used and should see almost continuous competition throughout the afternoon.

This tournament, an annual one which marks the close of the Shanghai tennis season, promises to be usually interesting this year because of the record number of entries, including the best foreign and Chinese players in the city.

Today's time schedule follows:—

1.30 p.m.—K. T. Tsai *v.* B. Krenov on court 3; Y. Segalen *v.* Z. L. Sia on court 4; H. Collaco *v.* P. Oliveira on court 5; A. V. Guterres *v.* B. K. Wallace on court 6.

2.15 p.m.—Miss Holwill *v.* Miss M. Ouei on court 3; L. D. Carson *v.* D. Rosenzweig on court 4; Rompen and Klimanek *v.* Jourdan and Ouang on court 5; C. C. Squires *v.* S. A. Judah on court 6.

3 p.m.—T. C. Chang *v.* R. D. Boyer on court 3; Mrs. Collaco *v.* Miss B. C. Lo on court 4; Lt. R. E. M. Ward *v.* Gordon Chen on court 5; F. Shaffer *v.* T. H. Chen on court 6.

3.45 p.m.—Carson and Squires *v.* Moore and Capt. Williamson on court 3; Rosenzweig and Krenov *v.* Woo and Woo on court 4; H. K. F. Li *v.* L. Lee on court 5; V. G. Taussig *v.* Indrickson on court 6.

United Hockey Club Teams Selected

Fixtures and teams of the United Hockey Club for this week-end have been arranged and are as follows:—

United Hockey Club (*v.* Seaforths "B," R.G.3, 2.30 p.m. today) E. Smith, J. Ladd, S. Berglof, E. Weidman, R. C. Stuart, M. N. Shooling, A. Kline, J. Hetherington, A. Leitao, J. Gilchrist, A. Yourieff. Umpire.—A. E. Andrews.

U.H.C. "B" *v.* U.H.C. "C" at R.G.3, 4 p.m., practice, today.

U.H.C. (*v.* Seaforths "A," R.G.7, 2.30 p.m. tomorrow) J. P. Jones, S. A. Collaco, K. M. Pate, J. L. Berglof, L. Oliveira, A. Fonseca, R. Veir, R. Murray, S. P. Karanjia, V. Chanturai, J. Fonseca.

J.G.C. Bowls Section Closing Day

Members of the Junior Golf Club are reminded of the official Closing Day of the Lawn Bowls Section which has been arranged to take place tomorrow.

Starting at 10 a.m. the programme will open with Progressive Pairs and at noon a cold collation will be served. Two rinks competitions will take place in the afternoon, one for ladies and the other for gentlemen, both timed for 2 o'clock.

At the conclusion of play the cups and trophies won during the season on the closing day will be presented.

Italy to Take Part in Olympic Games

Rome, Nov. 4.

Italy has accepted the invitation of Finland to take part in the Olympic Games of 1940 which will be held at Helsinki.

French College Sports Programme Today

Interesting Assortment of Events Arranged

The French Municipal College will hold its annual sports meeting this afternoon, beginning at 1.45 p.m., on Route Vallon. An attractive programme of 23 events, including many school championships, will be presented to the public.

The contests are divided into two main groups, boys and girls. In each group there will be three different classes of competition, the juniors, midgets and seniors.

Handsome silver cups are to be presented by the French Municipal Council for the championships in the different groups while medals will be awarded to the winners of the relay races by the professors of the College.

The events are as follows:—

100 metres for junior boys, relay for midget girls, potato race for boys between 8 and 10 years old, 75 metres for senior girls, relay race for midget boys, obstacle race for boys, relay for junior girls, 100 metres for senior boys, hope-step-jump for boys between 8 and 10 years old, relay race for junior boys, obstacle race for girls, 75 metre for midget boys, relay for senior girls, sack race for boys between 8 and 10 years old, 75 mates for junior girls; relay face for senior boys, flower pot race for girls, 75 metres for midget girls, bicycle race for boys, skipping race for boys and skipping race for girls between 8 and 10 years old.

Sports Programme This Week-end

To-day

SOCCER:—1st division.—Seaforths *v.* Savoia, Canidrome, 2.30 p.m., A. C. Sinclair.

Reserve division.—Savoia *v.* S.M.P., S.R.C., P. Drossel.

2nd division.—Abteilung *v.* French Forces, R.G.2, H. F. Marshall; Ching Hwa *v.* J.R.C., Kiaochow, W. T. Sung.

3rd division.—Area Details *v.* Bramtoco, R.G.1, F. C. Hale; Xaverians *v.* Belar, R.G.5, O. G. R. Beynon.

RUGGER:—Area Details *v.* Police, 2.30 p.m. Race Course; Club XV *v.* H.M.S. Birmingham, 3.15 p.m., Race Course.

RACING:—First Day, Autumn Race Meeting, S.R.C., from 1.15 p.m.

MEN'S HOCKEY:—Friendly Games.—Shanghai Hockey Club "A" *v.* German Hockey Club "A," Race Course, 2.30 p.m.; United Club *v.* Seaforths "B" Race Course, Ground 3, 2.30 p.m.; United "B" and "C" practice, 4 p.m., Race Course.

WOMEN'S HOCKEY:—League Games.—First Division.—American School "A" *v.* Amazons, at S.A.S. 2.45 p.m.; In Uno *v.* German "A" Kiaochow Park, 2.45 p.m.; J.A.C. "A" *v.* Greens, R.G. 4, 2.45 p.m. Second Division.—S.A.S. "B" *v.* German "B" at S.A.S., 2.45 p.m. Erin Villa "B" *v.* Jewish School, Erin Villa Ground, 2.45 p.m.

ATHLETICS:—French Municipal College Sports, at 1.45 p.m.

TENNIS:—C.S.F. Open Hardcourt Championships.

BASKETBALL:—Col. Cates League.

To-morrow

SOCCER:—1st division.—A.S.F. *v.* S.F.X., Canidrome, 10.30 a.m., J. Chen; S.M.P. *v.* Aurora, Kiaochow, J. Anderson.

Reserve division.—S.F.X. *v.* Lusitano, R.G.1, E. M. Manchetti; Seaforths *v.* A.S.F., R.G.2, N. Fadeyeff; S.R.C. *v.* Tung Hwa, Kiaochow, 9 a.m., C. F. Li.

2nd division.—Brit. Navy *v.* Russ. Regt., S.R.C., W. A. Day.

3rd division.—P.T.H. *v.* Russ. Club, R.G.5, H. A. Harrs.

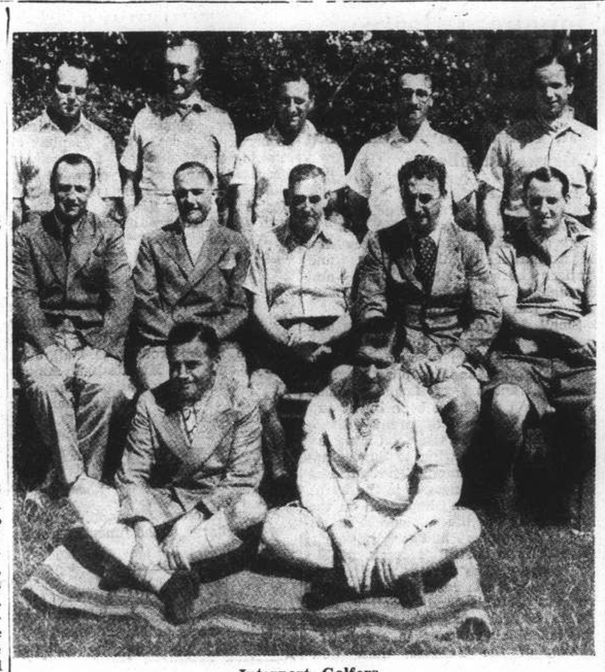
RUGGER:—Seaforths *v.* French Forces, 2.30 p.m., Race Course; Captain's XV *v.* Vice Captain's XV, 3.15 p.m. Race Course.

MEN'S HOCKEY:—Friendly.—United Club *v.* Seaforths "A," R.G. 7, 2.30 p.m.; Shanghai Hockey Club "B" *v.* German Hockey Club "B," Kiaochow Park, 2.30 p.m.

WOMEN'S HOCKEY: — Second Division.—J.A.C. "B" *v.* Sokol, R.G. 4, 2.45 p.m. Friendly.—Erin Villa "A" *v.* Erin Villa "B," Kiaochow Park, 10 a.m.

TENNIS:—C.S.F. Hardcourt Championships.

ROWING:—Shanghai Rowing Club Annual Autumn Regatta; Holt's Wharf beginning at 10 a.m.



Interport Golfers

A picture taken at Hongkong of the Shanghai and Colony Interport golf teams during the competition recently which was won rather one-sidedly by the home team.

Jockeys Hurt When Horses Fall

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

Cheltenham, Nov. 4.

The victorious Grand National jockey, Mr. Bruce Hobbs, fractured his spine, when his horse, Pharnace, fell on Wednesday.

Mr. Wilson, another jockey, fractured five ribs when his horse, Prince Memnon, fell. Both men are progressing favourably in their recovery.—Reuter.

Ice Hockey Wars to Begin in America

Revamped Leagues Swing Into Action

New York, Nov. 3.

A revamped and stream-lined National Ice Hockey League will strut into the international sports arena tonight in two of the major hockey centres of the western sports world, Chicago and Toronto.

The new League sports only one division, including all seven clubs in both the United States and Canada, instead of the two former sections, operating across the border.

The Toronto Maple Leafs will clash with the Boston Bruins at Toronto, while the New York Americans and the Chicago Blackhawks will usher the season in at the "Windy City" arena.

The Black Hawks, who registered the most sensational triumph in the history of national ice hockey last year when they finished third in the American League, and then fought their way through the play-off series over the Canadians, third team in the Canadian or International Division, and the Americans, winners of the second-team eliminations and on into the Stanley Cup series, are again ranked as one of the outstanding clubs.

The Maple Leafs, other entrant in the Stanley series last year, following their easy triumph in the International Division, are also ranked as favourites to go through to the 1939 playoffs.—United Press.

Joe Louis Will Sign On November 25

Minor Changes Made in Plans for Fight

New York, Nov. 3.

Certain changes in details in the agreement between Joe Louis, negro world heavyweight champion, and John Henry Lewis, negro world light-heavyweight titleholder, for a clash for the heavyweight championship on January 27 resulted in the postponement of the actual signing until November 25, it was announced today.

Mike Jacobs, outstanding boxing promoter who yesterday announced that he had signed contracts with Louis and Lewis, said today that there were only a few changes to be made in the wording of the agreement before it would be ready for final signing.

The bout, when it comes off, will be the first all-negro heavyweight championship bout in boxing history.—United Press.

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Middleweight Boxing Issue to Be Settled

Krieger May Clash With Apostoli Soon

New York, Nov. 3.

Solly Krieger, new middle-weight champion of the world against the winner of the Fred Apostoli-Young Corbett III fight—that is the prize for which Promoter Mike Jacobs is angling following Krieger's upset victory over Al Hostak, the former Seattle title-holder.

Not only would the fight settle the issue as to who is the outstanding middleweight fighter, but it would give Krieger a chance to justify himself in the eyes of the New York Boxing Commission who have not recognized Krieger as champion.

If all goes well, Krieger will fight the winner of the Apostoli-Corbett scrap on January 13. If Krieger wins, the New York Commission will fall into line and follow the National Boxing Association's recognition of Krieger as world's champion. If Krieger does not win, the victor will automatically receive the crown without any objection from either body.

Apostoli and Corbett will meet on November 18, although Corbett normally is classed as a welterweight. The last time the two met, on February 22 this year, Apostoli lost on a decision in ten rounds, six weeks after he had earned a technical KO over Freddie Steele, then middleweight champion, in nine rounds of a non-title bout in Madison Square Garden.

Apostoli has fought Krieger twice already, both times in 1937, gaining a ten-round decision the first time and getting a technical knockout over the Brooklyn boy in the fifth round of their second clash.—United Press.

Manchester November Handicap Callover

London Nov. 3.

Following is the callover for the Manchester November Handicap, to be run at Manchester on November 26 over a distance of a mile and a half:

100-7 Maranta
100-6 Velvet Cushion offered, 20-1 taken
100-6 Dragonnade offered, 20-1 taken
100-6 Valerian
100-6 Fet
100-6 Nadushka
100-6 Mubarak
20-1 Trafalgar offered, 25-1 taken
20-1 Stainless Stephen
20-1 Burghtrig
20-1 Golden Martlet
20-1 Phosphor
20-1 Solitaire
20-1 Queen's Shilling
20-1 Battle Song
20-1 Carlino
20-1 Spot Barred
20-1 Papageno II
25-1 Hurry De Savoie, offered
25-1 Pactolus, offered
25-1 Bird's Eye, offered.—Reuter.

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Autumn Regatta Tomorrow

Careful Arrangements for Visitors at Holts Wharf; Attractive Programme

Outstanding in the weekend's programme of sport is the Autumn Regatta of the Shanghai Rowing Club, wherein international races in the fours and eights will attract considerable enthusiasm from supporters of the various crews. America has withdrawn from the Eights as she is unable to muster a full crew, but her entry in the Fours is considered the strongest in the race. The World crew has improved by leaps and bounds in the Eights, and the race will be very open with the fitness of the English vieing with Scotland's power, and the World's heavier weight.

The regatta will take place at Holts Wharf, where a part of the frontage has been kindly loaned to the club. Houseboat owners may moor their craft alongside the wharf in the area provided, but they must not encroach on the upper half of the Wharf.

The public is invited to attend and to watch the finishes at Holts Wharf. Arrangements have been made to have a big tender to convey those intending to take the trip from the Customs' Jetty at 9.30 a.m. so as to be at the wharf in time to see the first race at 10 a.m. This will be the only big tender available provided for by the Club, and members and their guests are warned not to miss this means of conveyance, otherwise they will have to find their own way downriver by public ferries.

Catering facilities have been arranged and a lunch is obtainable at popular prices at the wharf, while by kind arrangement of the authorities at Holts Wharf, changing rooms and such conveniences will be at hand for competitors and spectators. The eastern portion of the Wharf has been roped off and reserved for the function and a large stand, together with seats will provide the best opportunity to see the races. The straight run of the river at this point enables all spectators an opportunity to see the races from beginning to end.

The following is the programme of events for the day.

10.00 a.m.—International Trial Fours
10.30 a.m.—Griffin Fours
11.00 a.m.—Hong Fours
11.30 a.m.—Veterans Fours
11.45 a.m.—Senior Fours
12.15 noon.—Junior Fours
Tiffin Interval
1.45 p.m.—International Trial Eights
2.15 p.m.—Griffin Pairs
2.45 p.m.—Junior-Senior Fours
3.15 p.m.—Invitation Eights.

Recs, Police Football Teams Picked

In their first division league soccer match against Aurora tomorrow at Kiaochow Park beginning at 3 p.m., the S.M.P. will field the following team:—

F. Peasgood; H. Stangaard, J. Shute; W. Westwood, J. Gibson, Roliz; G. J. Clarke, T. Crook, N. Douglas, F. Woodley, R. Wilkinson.

The Police team in the reserve division game today against Savoia at the Race Course beginning at 3 p.m. will be:

D. Crank; H. Eardley, A. Turner; Macgregor, S. V. Gash, A. Hurry; H. J. Oakley, Rimmer, A. Pechineuk, Margison and Greenberg.

The S.R.C. 2nd XI to meet Tung Hwa in a reserve division game at Kiaochow Park tomorrow beginning at 9 a.m. is as follows.

S. Altclass, Kushnerenko, Lawrence, Lee, Brodd, Zellinsky, Kliene, Murray, H. England, MacDonald, and J. Aldeguer. Reserve.—G. England and Leitao.

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The famous Buccaneers, who captured the Foreign Y.M.C.A. invitation basketball league title for nine years running between 1929 and 1937, will have only a mediocre team this year. Last night they played a practice game against the Foreign "Y" Cubs and came out winners by only one goal at a score of 20-18.

With Bob Biesel, star guard, and Bill Ryan, giant centre, definitely retiring, the former champions are not extracted to make much of a threat this year. C.C. "Dud" Squires was absent last night, leaving Carson and Krause as the only regulars playing. They were assisted by Morang, Lawler, Derby and Davis who proved woefully weak.

The Cubs led in the first quarter which ended at 7-5 but Carson and Krause were too clever for the opponents and netted enough points between themselves to lead at half-time by 11-7. The Buccaneers continued to hold the margin after the rest period but in the last five minutes, with Carson going out, the Cubs rallied and finished within a goal's difference.

BUCCANEERS

	fg.	ft.	f.	pts.
Derby, f.	0	0	0	0
Davis, f.	0	0	0	0
Krause, f.	3	1	2	7
Lawler, c.	1	0	0	2
Carson, g.	4	1	0	9
Morang, g.	1	0	1	2
	9	2	3	20

CUBS

Dobrenky, f.	2	1	0	5
Deitz, f.	1	0	0	2
Chanturi, f.	1	1	3	3
Ridgeway, c.	1	0	3	2
Kohnert, g.	3	0	0	6
Gavriloff, g.	0	0	1	0
	8	2	7	18

Yachting Tomorrow

The Shanghai Yacht Club racing over the week-end includes a series off Kwangshin Road Jetty, and it is expected that spectators at the regatta will have an opportunity to cover a course stretching in front of Holts wharf.

Yachting Course Changed

Attention of those taking part in today's yacht races for "A" Class and Cruisers is called to the fact that the course for the Harder Trophy has been shortened. Yachts are to go around Quarantine Buoy instead of Blockhouse Buoy.

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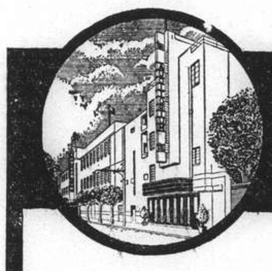

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Events 1-8:	1. CAREAGA	*Events 9-16:*	1. SALSAMENDI
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	5. FERNANDO		5. ARANA
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FEATURE GRAND PARTIE TO-MORROW

North Sea Battle Disturbs M.P.'s

British Territorial Waters Respected by Spanish Armed Sloop

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, Nov. 4.

The Spanish Nationalist motorship Nadir, which was stated to have shelled the Spanish steamer Cantabria two days ago, steamed into the Channel yesterday, apparently bound for Spain.

Photographs, published in the press, showed it to resemble an ordinary passenger ship. One picture marked four spots, where the photographer saw what appeared to be guns, including one which was presumably concealed in a box-like structure near the stern.

It was revealed that the British tramp steamer Pattersonian, which rescued eleven of the crew of the Cantabria, had steamed under the guns of the Nadir in order to do so and had defied an apparent attempt of the motorship to run her down.

The skipper of the Pattersonian said that, as he passed the Nadir, she suddenly reversed towards the British steamer and a collision was narrowly averted.

The skipper felt sure that the Nadir had attempted to head him off from the boatload of men from the Cantabria, but had failed. He added that the rescued men kissed and hugged their rescuers.—Reuter.

London, Nov. 3.

The sinking yesterday of the Republican Spanish vessel, Cantabria, by a Nationalist Spanish armed sloop within ten miles of Cromer, Norfolk, roused much uneasiness in British political quarters.

The Parliamentary Secretary for the Admiralty, Mr. Geoffrey Shakespeare, replied to a question on this subject in the House of Commons today when Mr. Arthur Henderson, Labour leader, asked whether British territorial waters had been violated.

Mr. Shakespeare answered in the negative. He specified that eleven members of the Cantabria's crew were rescued by the British vessel, Pattersonian, while five more were brought back by a lifeboat sent out from Cromer. The rest of the people on board the Republican ship at the time of its sinking were taken off by the Nationalist sloop.

Mr. Henderson then asked that measures of security be taken in the North Sea, since Spanish Nationalist warships apparently patrolled the northern waters.

Mr. Shakespeare answered that he did not think yesterday's incident forecast or constituted a menace to the security of British vessels.—Havas.

Egyptian Rearmament On Grand Scale

Training of Regular Army And Territorial Force

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

Cairo, Nov. 4.

Hassan Sabry Pasha, Minister of War, is reported to have laid before the higher Cabinet Council a E£10,000,000 defence programme to cover the next five years.

The plan is said to cover, apart from the creation of a naval force, provisions for coastal defence, the training of a regular army, and the creation of a territorial force.

It is also stated to provide for an increase in the number of military 'planes, the building of aerodromes and hangars, and an increase in arms and ammunition.

British experts will be engaged by the Government to prepare plans and specifications for arms and ammunition.

Steps will shortly be taken to implement the E£1,000,000 plan for the harbour in Alexandria, which is expected to be converted into a naval base.—Reuter.

Japanese Army Medical Success Eulogized

Munich, Nov. 3.

Methods used by Japanese military physicians in China were described before the university here today by the well-known Professor Richter on the occasion of the visit paid by Dr. Ushibashi, head of the Japano-German Medical Society in Tokyo.

Professor Richter described Japanese successes against epidemics and eulogized the morale of the Japanese troops. The lecturer was a member of the German Medical Military Committee which has ciosely followed present war operations in China.—Havas.

Capone Lieutenant Found Dead

Hammond, Ind., Nov. 3.

Police today found the bullet-riddled body of Walter Leonard, 35-year-old lieutenant of the former notorious Al Capone gang. Leonard was found shot in a car in the outskirts of the city. Police rushed him to hospital but he died without revealing who shot him, thus maintaining the traditional unwritten law of gangsters against "squealing." Police officials said that Leonard had apparently "been taken for a ride" in the usual gangster manner.—United Press.

Col. Lindbergh May Become British

London, Nov. 3.

The West End "Soho Weekly" will say tomorrow that Col. Charles Lindbergh, famous American trans-Atlantic flier, is about to apply for British citizenship for himself and his family. The report will say that Col. Lindbergh intends to accept a high civil aviation post in England "and may have an unofficial connection with the reorganization of the Royal Air Force." Informed circles here derided the report which the West End weekly plans to print tomorrow.—United Press.

Marshal Bluecher Said Shot in Moscow

Tokyo, Nov. 4.

Marshal Vasilü Bluecher, former Supreme Commander of the Soviet Far Eastern Army, who had been transferred to Moscow under military escort, has been shot by order of a court martial, it is asserted here. A Japanese news agency adds that Mme. Bluecher who likewise disappeared in the middle of October, apparently suffered the same fate as her husband.

All portraits of Bluecher have been removed from the Moscow State Gallery as done previously with the portraits of other prominent Soviet leaders who had been "liquidated," it is reported.—Trans-Ocean.

Miss Sally Rand Fined, Sent to Jail

Noted U.S. Fan Dancer Hit Camera Fiends

Los Angeles, Nov. 4.

Miss Sally Rand, beautiful and shapely "Queen of the Fan Dancers" discovered today that an American jury and judge can appreciate beauty but will not forgive a hot temper.

The young American dancer, who has been specializing in "bubble" and "interpretive" dances for the past year, was sentenced to one year in prison and fined U.S.$2,000 for losing her temper recently when she attacked a man and woman who snapped candid pictures of her with miniature cameras while she was performing at a Los Angeles theatre.

The candid camera enthusiasts sneaked into the wings of the stage to snap their picture of the glamorous blonde who was entertaining a packed house with nude cavorting behind huge fans. Miss Rand halted her dance and rushed at the pair of camera fiends and scratched the woman. She also struck the man.

The jury appeared to have little sympathy with the fan dancer's loss of temper and returned a verdict of guilty after deliberating less than three hours.

It was the first time she appeared in court on an assault and battery charge, although she faced many a judge in the last few years on charges of revealing more flesh than fans.—United Press.

Railway to Sienning To Reopen

Line Only Slightly Hurt By Chinese Troops

Wuchang, Nov. 4.

The section of the Canton-Hankow railway from Wuchang to Sienning, which was left practically intact by retreating Chinese, will be opened to traffic in the near future, military officials here disclosed.

Only slight repairs, the officers said, will be needed to allow traffic to be resumed. It was pointed out that the tracks are almost intact and that only a few bridges are down. The stretch between Wuchang and Sienning covers approximately 90 kilometres.

Eight locomotives out of 20, and 200 cars out of 550 which were captured by the Japanese, the officers said, are in good shape and can be used immediately without repairs. The officers added that the reason for the minimum of damage to the railway between these two points, was because of the extremely swift advance of the Japanese forces which did not give the Chinese time to destroy the line.—Domei.

Soviet-Manchoukuo Friction Grows

Japanese Angered Over Alleged Obstruction

Changchow, Nov. 4.

Considerable anger has been aroused here over what Japanese quarters dscribe as an "aggravation of the Soviet policy of interfering with the working of the Japanese Consulates in Chita and Blagoveschensk."

According to Japanese circles, despite repeated protests, incidents occurred throughout October, when members of the two Consulates are alleged to have been detained and examined.

The Manchoukuo authorities are said to be contemplating retaliatory measures.

Meanwhile, frontier incidents in the north and north-western borders continue to be reported.—Reuter.

S.M.P. Seize Big Opium Haul in Chihli Road

S.M.P. Headquarters detectives led by Det.-Sgt. J. Bradley, yesterday afternoon raided a Chinese house in Chihli Road, off Nanking Road, and seized 10 lb. of opium, valued at about $1,600. Three Chinese were arrested and will be brought before the First Special District Court this morning, charged with having possession of narcotics.

Mr. Chamberlain Now Recovering

London, Nov. 4.

Mr. Neville Chamberlain, who is suffering from a cold, was much better this morning, it was announced here today. It is probable that the Prime Minister will spend the week-end at Chequers.—Havas.

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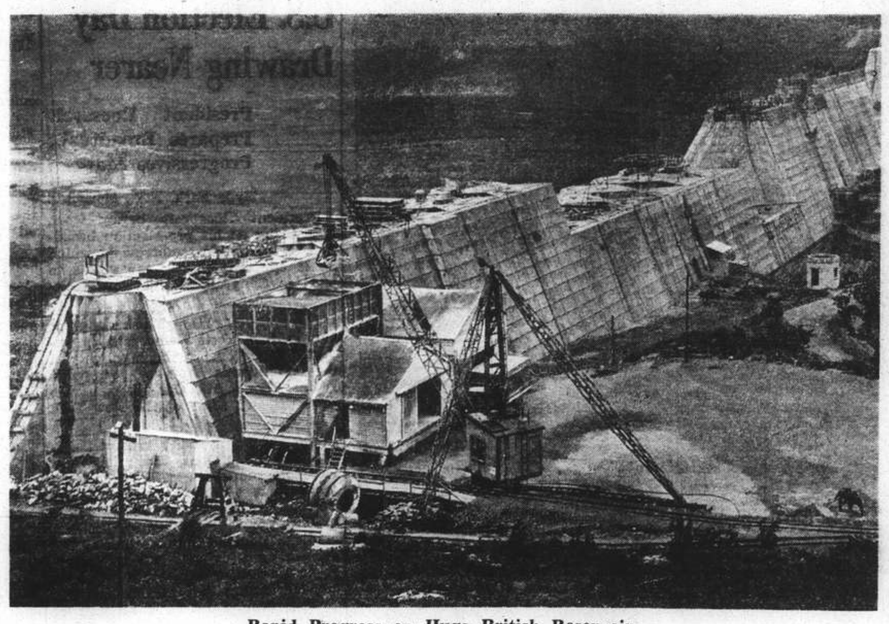


Rapid Progress on Huge British Reservoir

The huge dam, 1,550 feet long, 120 feet high and 122 feet thick, which is being constructed across Haweswater Valley in the Lake District to form the new reservoir for Manchester's water supply. Rapid progress is being made on the gigantic task which involved the destruction of a whole village.

Canton Shaken by Huge Explosions

Shameen Conditions Now Slightly Better

Canton, Nov. 4.

Several explosions of tremendous magnitude were felt here yesterday afternoon. They were believed to have occurred at Fatshan.

After a fortnight without power, following the blowing-up of the power station on Shameen's East Bund, the new plant was operating for the first time on Wednesday night, and tonight half of the island will be supplied with power, between the hours of 5 p.m., and 1 a.m.

It is hoped that current will be available at all hours in the near future, greatly relieving inconveniences such as the lack of ice and the inability of the community to listen in to radio news.

A tour of the city reveals a slight return of the population, while wreckage, untidyness and pathetic emptiness are everywhere.—Reuter.

Retreat Towards North

Chinese troops have been observed retreating in large numbers towards Yungyungchen, a city in north-eastern Kwangtung province off the Canton-Hankow Railway, a Japanese naval spokesman announced here last night on the basis of aerial reconnaissance.

Japanese naval aircraft, he said, were actively attacking Chinese troops at Yingtak and Hotowyu on the railway.

Trafficker Sentenced

Found guilty of trafficking in narcotics, Kung Chen-yi, was sentenced to fifteen years' imprisonment in the First Special District Court yesterday. It was stated that he had been arrested at the Chung Nan Hotel on Avenue Edward VII last week for being in possession of four ounces of morphine and five ounces of opium.

Belgium to Defend Own Colonies

Mandates Surrendered Only Under Agreement With Other Powers

Brussels, Nov. 3.

Determination to defend Belgian colonies was emphatically asserted today by the Premier, M. Paul-Henri Spaak in a speech before the Chamber of Deputies.

"The Congo belongs to us and our rights there are indisputable. We are ready to use all available forces to defend our colony," he declared.

M. Spaak then revealed that special credits totalling Frs. 11,000,000 will be put aside for this objective.—Havas.

Belgium's Mandates

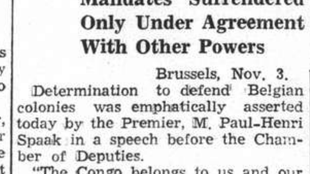
Brussels, Nov. 4.

"Belgium cannot give up her African mandates except in agreement with those who have entrusted her to them," declared the Minister of State, M. de Wiart, in the Chamber of Representatives yesterday.

He added: "As for the Congo, there can be no question of ceding even a part of it."—Reuter.

Coolie Crushed Under Heavy Load

A coolie carrying a heavy piece of machinery in Edinburgh Road shortly after 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, slipped and fell and was crushed under his load. He was taken to the Paulun Hospital in a Fire Brigade ambulance but was found to be dead on his arrival.



Japan Buys Most U.S. Aircraft Material

Tremendous Sales Abroad Reported in Washington

Washington, Nov. 3.

Export of aeronautical products from the United States during the first nine months of 1938 was 93 per cent. above figures for the same period of 1937, the Department of Commerce revealed here today.

The Commerce Department report valued total aeronautical exports at $53,335,175 for the January-September period. Aircraft accounted for $30,936,642, parts and accessories for $16,760,469 and engines for $5,467,267.

The Department report revealed that during September Japan was the heaviest purchaser of American aeronautical products. Japan bought eight land planes valued at $861,462. China bought two planes.—United Press.

Hankow Fall Said Blow to Chiang

Gen. Hata Issues Statement On Capture of City; Praise For Japanese Forces

Hankow, Nov. 4.

"There is not the slightest doubt that the Chiang Kai-shek administration has been dealt a staggering blow by the fall of Hankow, erstwhile impregnable stronghold of anti-Japonism and pro-Communist machinations," General Shunroku Hata, Commander-in-Chief of the Japanese Expeditionary Forces in Central China, declared in a statement to the press yesterday.

The statement, which was read to assembled newspapermen by a staff officer, stressed that it should not be presumed that the capture of the Wuhan cities marks a decisive step in the termination of the Sino-Japanese hostilities. The statement was issued at ten o'clock yesterday morning when General Hata arrived at Hankow to participate in the celebrations marking the birthday anniversary of the late Emperor Meiji.

General Hata praised highly the efforts of the officers and men of the Imperial Japanese army, navy and air forces who braved intense heat and natural disadvantages to conquer over the strong opposition of the Chinese.

The Commander-in-Chief also expressed his deep appreciation for the support given the forces at the front by the people at home.

Condolence to the Dead

"This fervent support," General Hata said in the statement, "enabled our warriors to meet death with a smile, to rush into the Chinese positions. Words fail me in my attempt to express my heartfelt gratitude for the people at home."

General Hata also stressed that he wanted to take the opportunity to extend his condolence to the glorious spirits of those who bravely met death on the China fronts.

"May I express my deep sympathy to those who have lost their husbands, fathers, sons and brothers during the hostilities, and to those disabled officers and men."

"Upon reaching this key city, and looking at the surrounding country where the Imperial forces still are engaged in fighting," General Hata declared in conclusion, "I am more keenly aware of the magnitude of my duties, and the fact that we still have a long way to go before the termination of the hostilities."—Domei.

KING George of Greece, who is at present staying in London, on Thursday afternoon called on Queen Mary.

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umania Demands ech Towns

Bucharest League of Patriots Clamouring For Share in Spoils

Bucharest, Nov. 3.

e League for the Cultural Union ll Rumanians today demanded frontier towns of Apshitza, asiatina and Biseritzaalba from oslovakia as Hungary prepared arch into the ceded Czech t. y.

e demands called for the towns turned over to the "Rumanian er Country."

manians were satisfied with the German decision reached at na on the granting of Czech ter- to Hungary because the settle- avoided a common Polish- arian frontier.—United Press.

Ukrainians Undismayed

Vienna, Nov. 3.

spite reports to the contrary rday, the Czech, Slovak and enian delegations to the arbitra- conference here remained in a after the close of deliberations night.

e Carpathic Ukrainian Govern- apparently do not doubt that autonomous region can live ut Uzhorod and Mukacevo, two rtant cities given to Hungary by ttaio-German arbitration decree. e authorities are already draw- up projects for several public s. A railway will soon be con- ted from Presov, on the line Prague, to Chust, new capital he region, and then on to ania.

Chust itself, a new aerodrome anned, while flanking the Carpa- Mountains will run a modern, peed motor road. Roads near rod and Mukacevo will be d so as to remain in Carpathic inian territory.

these projects will cost a great Quarters close to the Premier. Augustin Volosin, declare that inian emigres in America will ibute financially.—Havas.

Czechs Sad and Bitter

Prague, Nov. 3.

e press voiced relief today over inal establishment of Czechoslo- 's definitive frontiers even while ublic showed sadness and bitter- over the arbitration decree de- in Vienna.

wspapers point out that now the ry can devote itself wholly to nal reconstruction works.

news organs stress the loss red by Czechoslovakia as a t of the award to Hungary of ertile Slovakian and Ruthenian s.

st commentators hope this final will foster rapprochement g the three Slav peoples of the ry and close co-operation g themselves.—Havas.

e Rotary Club Toy tinee at Grand

ckey Mouse, Donald Duck, Pop- the sailor and Betty Boop, all ne programme, seem a pretty cinema dish, specially as ey and Donald "do their stuff" blour. But even that only tells of the story of this morning's nee at the Grand Theatre; for are four other coloured cartoon cts in addition. And all this th of entertainment is to be had xchange for one discarded toy— that skilled hands will deal so expertly that by December will be as good as new. Even r, indeed; for what new toy have gone through the experi- that await this one.

st, all the excitement of meeting strangers in the lobby of the d Theatre; then three weeks or a nice clean hospital, as the of the Rotary Club, hobnobbing crippled comrades of all shapes and nationalities and, finally, a ecstatic owner, who otherwise d be toyless on Christmas Day. ere will, of course, be the grief arting with one's present master istress; but even there, consola- are to be found. For the most g of children is liable to be so far as his playmates are rned, and besides, there is the er satisfaction of knowing that is being exchanged for the best es' show of the year.

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ntry, England.—Trans. 1, from 5.00 to 17.15 o'clock, 19.66m.; 9.76m.; 25.29m.; 25.53m.; 31.55m. rans. 2, 13.45 to 21.50, 13.93m.; 3.97m.; 16.86m.; 19.82m.; Trans. 3, 2.00 to 1.00, 13.93m.; 13.97m.; 3.86m.; 19.82m.

Hongkong.—31.49m.

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alia—Lyndhurst, Mon.-Sat. 10.35 to .30, Sun., 16.00 to 20.30, 31.34m. ney, Sun., 14.00 to 16.00; 18.00 to .00; Mon., 22.00 to 24.00; 31.28m. bourne, Mon.-Sat., 17.00 to 22.00, .50m.

h, Mon.-Sat., 17.00 to 19.00, 31.28m. , France.—19.00 to 24.00, 19.68m.; .30 to 24.00, 16.84m. Also irreg, 25.24m.; 25.60m. and 31.41m.

rsum, Holland.—Irreg., but gener- ly; Daily, 08.00 to 10.00, 21.25 to .30; Sun., 20.25 to 23.30, 03.00 to .00, 16.38m.; 19.71m.; 31.28m.

la, P.I.—6.30 to 9.00 and 19.00 to .00, 25.38m.; 31.35m. Sunday, 18.00 24.00.

o, Japan.—13.30 to 14.30, 21.00 to .30, 25.42m.; 19.79m.

ectray, N.Y., U.S.A.—22.00 to 24.00, .9m.; 00.15 to 07.00, 19.50m.

d Brook, N.J., U.S.A.—21.00 to .00, 16.6m., daily; 22.00 to 05.00, .8m., Saturday; 23.00 to 24.00, .8m., Sundays.

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News, etc. (T)
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News (D)
Melbourne and Perth progs. (A)
News (LYN)
News in Germany (B)
Varied (D)
Concert (B), News (P), Varied (M), (R)
News (B)
News (LYN)
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News (D), in French (P)
News (B)
News (D)
News (D)
Special news, 31.48m. (USA)
Varied (M)

STAGE

"Don Quixote"

Don Quixote	Sokolsky
Sancho Panza	Kniazeff
Curate	Tomsky
Barber	Diakoff
Housekeeper	Brouning
Niece of Don Quixote	Tarskaya
Komachio	Eliroff
Kitry	Bobinina
Basil	Seroff
Hozé	Wiener
Pedro	Bodrostin
Montesinos	Doder
Magician Merlin	Shevlugin
Durandate	Seroff
Belerma	Manjelei
Lady Bulcinéa	Audrey King
Duke	Eliroff
Duchess	Lissner

Knight-errantry rode once again on Thursday at the Lyceum Theatre, when scenes from the life of the gallant, if unpractical, Don and his doughty Squire were enacted by the Ballet Russe. The choreographical version of "Don Quixote" originated in the Imperial Ballet, the music thereto being supplied by one Mincous who appears mainly to have distinguished himself by writing a facile score practically devoid of musical interest, but doubtless of great value from the practical viewpoint. This is a pity and somewhat in the nature of a miscarriage of justice, for a musical conception of this tale, with its humour and psychological fertility, is surely inseparable from just those qualities which make it immortal.

Unfortunately, in this respect, Strauss's Op. 35 does not appear to have been designed to dance to. In order to portray the story in ballet form, rather a free adaptation has been necessary and thus there are three main acts with a motivating prologue. A majority of the names of the characters are mystifying and do not appear in Shelton's translation, but I must plead green in this direction.

Apart from the musical reservation above referred to, the rest was plain and very enjoyable sailing. As ballet it is capital stuff, revealing more than the usual ambition, particularly in settings and costumes, and fully as successful as anything previously done. Mr. Domracheff and Zimbal are to be warmly congratulated on their most effective scenery and lighting effects: the cave scene was most impressive.

"The Ballet's the Thing"

Throughout, there was an understandable atmosphere of "the ballet's the thing" and hence the escapades of Don Quixote were subservient to the main business of the evening although a colourful touch was added by the arrival of the Don on a real live Rozinante, with his trusty follower firmly wrapped round a donkey, both beasties deporting themselves under trying circumstances in an exemplary manner.

Of the large cast, it is but possible to mention the stellar components despite the fact that there was much excellent individual work done in the ensemble numbers. Miss Audrey King was her usual expert self in a number of solo dances but Miss Bobinina ran her a close second with perfect control and poise. A particularly fine duet was danced by these two in the last act. Mr. Shevlugin at all times partnered Miss King in an understanding manner besides producing two spectacular solos himself. Mr. Seroff (replacing Mr. Volsky who unfortunately sustained an accident) partnered Bobinina most competently.

The concerted items (particularly the Bolero; Yanover, Wiener, Kochesheff, Boukanovsky and Egoss) were colourful and effective, but on occasions the stage was manifestly overcrowded with a resultant loss of coherence in the ballet. A word of appreciation must be added to mark the charming scenes done by the youngsters; in particular, the Polonaise, starring Miss Joy Blackwood, was delightful.

At the risk of incurring last year's opposition, mention must be made of the orchestra. To say their playing was 'orrid would probably dishearten them which would be a pity since they could undoubtedly do better, and moreover should strenuously try to by means of exhaustive rehearsal. If these ballets are to be savoured to their full (as they deserve to be) there must be a co-operative blend of competence both above and below stage. Let us, however, not altogether mistake the means for the ends: all in all, "Don Quixote" is well worth seeing.—H.

Peiping Students Learn Japanese

Peiping, Nov. 4.

The Bureau of Education of the Peiping Municipality is shortly holding examinations for instructors in the Japanese language with a view to ascertaining their standard of efficiency.

The introduction of the Japanese language in municipal and private schools in Peiping and the increasing demand for instructors are understood to have prompted the projected examinations.—Reuter.

New President for District Court

It is reported that the President of the Second Special District Court in the French Concession has been relieved of his post by the Ministry of Justice in Chungking. The President, Mr. Wong Shih-mob, will be replaced, it is stated, by Mr. Yang Che, a former prosecutor of the Nantao District Court.

Man Shot in Leg

Shot while in occupied territory many miles from Shanghai, a Chinese man suffering from a wound in the thigh reached the International Settlement yesterday. He was conveyed from Jessfield Road by ambulance to St. Luke's Hospital No. 2.

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Prelude to the Polish Ultimatum

A view of the huge crowd which demonstrated in Pilsudski Square at Warsaw to demand the return of the Teschen district of Czechoslovakia to Poland. Negotiations resulted in the cession and subsequent occupation of this district by Polish troops.

Spanish Nationalists Claim Successes

Ebro River Front Drive Now in "Final Phase"

Hendaye, Nov. 3.

The Spanish Nationalists reported smashing advances on the Ebro river front today as Gen. Francisco Franco's spokesmen claimed the Ebro battle had entered its "final phase."

The Nationalist reports said Nationalist planes, which Republican reports described as Italian and German, led a steady, forward drive by Nationalist infantry and mechanized units which penetrated Republican defences within a mile of the strategic river.

The Nationalist spokesmen claimed that 4,000 Republicans had been captured during the Nationalist advances today. Hundreds of others were claimed to have been killed when scores of Nationalist planes, massed on the Ebro front, bombed and strafed Republican troops from dawn to dusk.

Republican reports said the Nationalists were repeating severe attacks on the Republican lines in the Ebro River sector, but claimed the Nationalists had been stopped with only slight advances. The Republicans said the Nationalists had lost thousands of men in their new offensives along the Ebro and denied that any important positions had been lost.—United Press.

Three S.V.C. Russians Finally Released

Men Were Seized North of Creek on October 20

The three Russian members of the S.V.C. who were taken into custody by the Japanese authorities north of the Soochow Creek on October 20, were released yesterday, and returned to their barracks. They had not suffered any harm.

The reason for their arrest and prolonged detention was still a mystery yesterday. Officers of the S.V.C. are conducting an inquiry. It was understood that they questioned the three men upon their release yesterday.

British Plane Crashes; 13 Passengers Die

Jersey, Nov. 4.

Thirteen passengers and two members of the crew were killed today when a Jersey Airways airliner crashed in a field near the Jersey airport. A man working in the field was also killed by the crashing plane, which was en route from Jersey to Southampton.—Reuter.

NATIONALIST authorities place at 130,000 the number of casualties sustained by both Spanish factions since the beginning of the Ebro battle on July 25 this year. This figure is fifty per cent. higher than that of the casualties in the Teruel front battle.

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Nazi Anti-Church Move in Austria

Servite Monastery in Tyrol Closed; "Facts Too Shocking"

Vienna, Nov. 4.

The monastery of the Servite Order (or Servants of the Blessed Virgin), at Innsbruck, the most important monastery in the Tyrol, has been closed by the Gestapo, and nine monks, in addition to some thirty private citizens at Innsbruck, have been arrested. More arrests are expected to follow.

The reason alleged by the authorities for this sensational anti-church measure is "immorality" and "political activity against the State," but further details are withheld.

It has only been stated that the facts are "too shocking to be described."

An official asserts that events in this monastery would justify closing all the monasteries in Austria.

Official Catholic circles decline to make a statement on the measure, but there is a strong belief that events in Innsbruck are only the beginning of a new anti-church drive in Austria.

The Servite Order dates back to the thirteenth century, when, in 1233, it was founded in Tuscany by seven Florentine merchants. It underwent reformation in 1593.—Reuter.

To safeguard National Socialist ideology, Dr. Alfred Rosenberg, who is entrusted by the Fuehrer with the supervision of intellectual and ideological education and training of the National Socialist Party, has decreed that all more important work prepared by the National Socialist Party or any of its members or organizations should be submitted to him for approval.

Fascist Plot in Rio Published

Murder of Brazilian President Planned

Rio de Janeiro, Nov. 4.

A plot to assassinate the President, Dr. Getulio Vargas, figures in a document, which has just been published here and which is alleged to have been seized during the investigation of the Fascist rising last May.

The paper is said to have been sent by Lieutenant Fournier, an imprisoned Fascist leader, to Valverde, another of those implicated in the revolt.

It describes a plan for a fresh rebellion and proposes the assassination of President Vargas, the Prime Minister, the Chief of the General Staff of the Army, the Chief of Police and others.—Reuter.

Man with Fake Pistol Seized; Two Escape

Robbers Take 32 Watches In Markham Road

Carrying an imitation pistol, a member of a robber gang was arrested yesterday morning after an alarm had been raised outside a Chinese shop at 23 Markham Road.

Three bandits had robbed the place at pistol-point at 7.30 o'clock and were trying to escape when the alarm was sounded. The loot consisted of 31 wrist watches and one pocket watch.

Two of the men, both armed, escaped.

Four robbers, with one pistol, obtained $120 in cash at 1163 Jessfield Road, a food-shop, before daylight yesterday. They escaped and no shots were fired. The place is in territory outside of Settlement limits.

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U.S. Election Day Drawing Nearer

President Roosevelt Prepares Broadcast; Progressives Aided

Hyde Park, N.Y., Nov. 3.

President Roosevelt began work here today on his pre-election broadcast to the nation tomorrow in which he is expected to ask the voters to elect to Congress all "forward looking" Democrats.

The address, although primarily for aiding New York Democrats, is expected to be one of the highlights of the President's "purge" campaign against Democratic Congressmen who have opposed some of the New Deal measures.

The President today received disquieting indications that the New York gubernatorial race between Governor Herbert Lehman and Mr. Thomas Dewey, famed New York "crime buster" who is running on the Republican ticket, would be one of the tightest races in New York's history. Reports reaching here from impartial quarters stated that Mr. Dewey was gaining ground in most sections of the state.

Observers believed Mr. Roosevelt would say a "good word" tomorrow night in behalf of Mr. Frank Murphey, Governor of Michigan, and Mr. Charles Buckley, Democratic Representative of New York, who face bitter re-election battles at the polls on November 8.—United Press.

McNutt-Garner Alliance

Washington, Nov. 4.

A Texas-Indiana "axis" will furnish a "continual noise at the Democratic National Symphony in 1940," Mr. Harlan Miller, columnist for the "Washington Post" declared today.

The "axis" will be composed of Mr. John Nance Garner, Vice-President of the United States, who is from Texas, and Mr. Paul V. McNutt, present High Commissioner of the Philippine islands and former Governor of Indiana, who will seek to be nominated as running mates on the 1940 Democratic ticket.

"This is the glorious goal to which the scores of small parties in the Vice-President's office and the colossal cocktail party for Mr. McNutt in the Mayflower Hotel last year have poured their libations," Mr. Miller declared.

Political prophets ally Mr. McNutt's forces with the southern conservative section of the Democratic party in an effort to control the 1940 Presidential nomination.—United Press.

Sum Spent by Britain In Czech Crisis

London, Nov. 4.

The international crisis last September regarding the future of Czechoslovakia cost the British Government £5,500,000, stated the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Sir John Simon, yesterday in answering a question asked by Labour Member, Mr. Wedgwood Benn. Besides this, there was a £10,000,000 credit granted to Czechoslovakia.—Trans-Ocean.

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REPORT No. 44/1938 for week ending November 4 (Friday), compiled by the Shanghai Stock Exchange

Comparative Opening Case Prices — This Friday Morning Nov. 4, 1938 Buyers	Sellers	Last Sales	Nom.	Last Friday Morning Oct. 28, 1938 Buyers	Sellers	Last Sales	Nom.	Business Recorded During Week Closing To-Day, Friday Morning — Highest Cash	Highest Nov.	Lowest Cash	Lowest Nov.	STOCK	Authorised Capital (No. of Shares)	Issued Capital (No. of Shares)	Paid up Value (or Face Value)	Fin. Year ends	Last Dividends, etc.	Paid or due	Business Done Year 1937 Highest	Business Done Year 1937 Lowest	Business Done Year 1038 Highest	Business Done Year 1038 Lowest	Total No. of Shares Done for Last Week	Total No. of Shares Done for This Week	Total Amount of Sales Reported Jan. 1—Nov. 4 1937	Total Amount of Sales Reported Jan. 1—Nov. 4 1938
												Banks, Finance Companies														
....	....	13	....	12.90	....	13	....	....	....	....	....	Central Properties, Ltd	5,000,000	180,000	$10	Dec.	Div. 10% 1937	7-3-38	15 Feb	14 June	13 Oct.	13 Oct.	....	....	2,000	1,000
....	....	....	13.50	....	....	....	13.50	....	....	....	....	China Bond & Share Co., Fed. Inc., U.S.A.	200,000	120,000	$10	Dec.	Final Div. 6% (Mkg. 10% 1936) (Nil 1937)	10-3-37	15.50 Apr	15.50 Apr	....	....	....	....	1,200	....
....	....	....	0.35	....	....	....	0.35	....	....	....	....	China Finance Corp. Fed. Inc., U.S.A.	400,000	400,000	T5	Dec.	Spec. Tax Div. Tls. 0.27½ = $0.39, 1931 (Nil 1937)	14-3-32	0.40 Apr	0.40 Feb	0.50 Mar	0.50 Mar	....	....	29,200	1 000
....	....	*1,345	....	*1,370	*1,390	*1,400	....	*1,370	....	*1,345	....	Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corp.	400,000	160,000	H $125	Dec.	Int. Div. 22-10-0 a/c 1938 (25½ 1937) Less I/T	8-3-38	1,945 June	1,380 Dec.	1,802½ Mar	1,345 Oct	....	33	235	528
....	....	....	2.90	....	....	....	2.90	....	....	....	....	Inter. Invest. Trust Co. of China Ltd.	2,000,000	350,000	T10	Mar.	Div. $0.75, 1934 (Nil 1937-38)	4-5-34	4.25 Feb	3 June	....	....	....	....	51,700	....
5.30	5.40	5.35	....	5.10	5.20	5.15	....	5.50	....	5.15	....	Shanghai Loan & Investment Co., Ltd.	250,000	250,000	T5	Dec.	Div. $0.25 a/c 1934 (Nil 1937)	25-2-35	5 Feb	2.70 June	5.30 Oct	3.20 June	31,410	16,900	17,186	155,184
....	....	....	18.50	....	....	....	18.50	....	....	....	....	Union Mobiliere	100,000	100,000	$20	Dec.	3% for 1937	3-5-38	20 July	18 Jan	....	....	....	....	1,670	....
5	....	5	....	4.75	4.90	4.75	....	5	....	4.75	....	Yangtsze Finance Co., Ltd.	2,000,000	517,500	T10	Mar.	Div. $0.20 a/c 1936-37 (Nil 1937-38)	22-7-37	8 Mar	8 July	5.60 Aug	4 Aug	11,400	725	12,300	17,295
												Insurances														
....	....	....	9	....	....	....	9	....	....	....	....	American-Asiatic Underwriters (ord.)	75,000	75,000	T10	Dec.	Div. $1.40, 1934 (1937 Nil)	15-5-35	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
75	....	....	70	75	....	....	70	....	....	....	....	Asia Life Insurance Co.	100,000	40,000	G $5	Dec.	Div. 10% = G $0.50, 1937	12-5-38	25 Dec	16.50 Apr	....	....	....	....	6,687	....
....	....	....	90	....	....	....	90	....	....	....	....	Assurance Franco-Asiatique	70,000	70,000	F100	Dec.	Div. 5%, 1937	4-5-38	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
3.60	3.75	3.50	....	*497.50	*505	*490	....	3.75	....	3.50	....	International Assurance Co., Ltd.	2,000,000	600,000	T5	Dec.	Div. $0.30, 1933 (Nil 1937)	18-5-34	4.55 Feb	3 Jan	4.05 Aug	2.30 Sept	3,925	4,750	108,245	37,455
....	....	*500	....	....	....	....	....	500	....	500	....	Union Insurance Society of Canton Ltd.	200,000	135,000	£6	Dec.	Int. Div. 15/–a/c 1938 (30/–, 1937)	21-10-38	636 Apr	515xd. Oct.	560 Mar	490 Sept	....	30	1,460	1,803
												Lands														
....	....	....	167	....	....	....	167	....	....	....	....	Anglo-French Land Invest. Co., Ltd.	25,000	19,335	T100	Feb.	Int. Div. $2.00 a/c 1938-39 ($4.00 a/c 1937-38)	14-10-38	200 Feb	190 Jan	160 June	160 June	....	....	114	3
....	....	2.70	....	....	....	....	2.70	....	....	....	....	Cathay Land Co., Ltd.	500,000	480,374	T10	Dec.	Final 2% = $0.28 (Mkg. 6% 1933) (Nil 1937)	5-5-34	3.75 Mar	3 Apr	3 Mar	3 Mar	....	....	17,300	400
0.50	0.55	0.50	....	0.40	0.50	0.50	....	0.50	....	0.50	....	China Realty Co. Fed. Inc., U.S.A.	800,000	500,000	T10	Dec.	Div. $0.15 a/c 1934	20-2-35	1.45 Mar	0.90 June	0.75 Apr	0.50 Aug	....	4,000	90,150	29,000
....	....	171	....	....	....	....	171	....	....	....	....	Fonciere et Immobiliere de Chine	20,000	20,000	T100	Dec.	Div. $7, a/c 1938 (Nil 1937)	18-3-37	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	6.30	....	....	....	....	6.30	....	....	....	....	Metropolitan Land Co., Ltd. "A"	500,000	39,800	T10	Sept.	Div. $0.80, 1934 (Nil 1937)	28-11-34	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	6.30	....	....	....	....	6.30	....	....	....	....	do. "B"		155,018	T10	Sept.	Div. $0.80, 1934 (Nil 1937)	28-11-34	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	....	9	....	....	....	9	....	....	....	....	San Sing Properties, Ltd.	2,000,000	805,007	T10	Mar.	Div. 2% = $0.28, 1933 (Nil 1938)	16-3-33	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	8.90	8.70	....	8.70	8.80	8.80	....	9.35	....	8.60	....	Shanghai Land Investment Co., Ltd.	2,386,800	2,386,800	T5	Dec.	Fin. 4% = $0.28 (Mkg. Tls. 0.50 1934) (Nil 1937)	25-4-35	17 Feb	8.70 Aug	9 Mar	7.25 Oct	16,929	27,946	72,050	132,447
....	....	99.50	....	....	....	99.50	....	....	....	....	....	Tientsin Land Investment Co., Ltd.	120,000	64,281	$50	Dec.	Final 3% & Bonus 1% (Mkg. 11% 1937)	28-2-38	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
												Docks, Wharves and Transport														
4.80	4.90	4.90	....	....	4.95	4.90	....	4.95	....	4.50	....	New Eng. & Shipbuilding Works, Ltd. (ord.)	500,000	300,000	T5	Dec.	Div. Tls. 0.30 = $0.42, 1932 (Nil 1937)	14-3-33	3.80 Feb	2.25 Jan	5.05 Oct	3.25 Feb	7,500	10,675	20,177	58,576
86	87.50	86.50	....	....	90XRC	....	....	86.50	....	85	....	Shanghai Dock & Engineering Co., Ltd.	55,700	55,200	T25	Dec.	Div. $3.50 a/c 1937 & Int. Div. $3.50 a/c 1938	15-3-38	108 July	92 Jan	131 Aug	85 Oct	50	1,120	6,409	7,718
....	....	180	....	....	....	180	....	175	....	170	....	Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf Co., Ltd.	80,000	60,000	T100	Dec.	Div. $5- a/c 1937	14-4-38	250 Feb	140 Dec.	190 Aug	145 Jan	....	13	2,020	1,575
....	....	24	....	21.50	22	21.75	....	24.25	....	21.75	....	Wheelock & Co., Ltd.	1,000,000	217,602	T10	Mar.	Div. $1- a/c 1937-38 & Bonus share 1 for 10	22-9-38	18.60 June	10.10 Feb	24.25 Oct	14 Mar	4,281	15,512	106,372	74,882
												Utilities														
20	....	19.50	....	19.50	....	19.50	....	20	....	20	....	China General Omnibus Co., Ltd.	500,000	200,000	T10	Dec.	Div. Tls. 0.90 = $1.26 1930 (Nil 1937)	25-2-31	13.30 Apr	7.50 Jan	19.50 Oct	13 Apr	200	120	10,443	7,089
7.50	8	7.50	....	....	....	....	8	....	....	....	....	Shanghai Gas Co., Ltd.	700,000	560,000	$10	Dec.	Div. 4% 1936 (Nil 1937)	8-4-37	10.70 Apr	9 Feb	8.50 Aug	8.50 Aug	....	....	8,526	500
....	....	54	....	54	....	54	....	54	....	54	....	Shanghai Telephone Company	400,000	115,142	T50	Dec.	.. ..	....	86 Mar	68 Jan	63 Aug	50 Sept.	32	7	3,368	1,097
56	....	54	....	54	....	54	....	54	....	54	....	S'hai Electric Construction Co., Ltd. "Reg."	700,000	670,000	£1	Dec.	Final Div. 5% (Mkg. 7%, 1937) Coupon 55	26-4-38	39.50 Apr	36.50 Feb	37 Aug	32 Apr	151	50	3,347	3,547
34.25	35	34.25	....	34	....	34.25	....	34.25	....	35.50	....	do. "Bear"							41 Mar	31.50 Dec.	39 June	30 May	2,500	3,870	35,536	52,032
....	....	35.50	....	35.50	36	35.75	....	36	....	....	....	S'hai Waterworks Co., Ltd. "A"	40,236	40,236	$20	Dec.	Int. Div. 8/- a/c 1938 (36/-, 1937) Coupon 49	27-9-38	635 Mar	625 June	650 Aug	510 May	100	....	642	1,726
....	615	620	....	....	620	610	....	....	....	....	....	do. "B"	359,280	{108,505	£1	Dec.	Int. Div. 4.8d a/c 1938 (1/4. 8d, 1937) Coupon 22	27-9-38	25.75 Apr	24.50 Feb	28 Aug	21 Apr	370	500	967	4,798
....	....	26½	....	....	....	26.50	....	26.50	....	26	....	do. "C"		{250,000	£1	Dec.	Int. Div. 4.8d a/c 1938 (1/7. 2d, 1937) Coupon 18	27-9-38	25.75 July	24.50 Feb	29 Aug	21.25 Apr	90	825	6,957	5,960
....	....	27	....	26.50	....	27	....	27	....	27	....															
												Miscellaneous														
....	9	....	7	....	9	....	7	....	....	....	....	Auto Palace Co., Ltd.	150,000	118,500	$8	Dec.	Int. Div. $1 a/c 1938 ($0.60 1937)	4-8-38	6.80 Mar	5 Feb	6 Sept	5 June	....	....	1,653	2,800
....	....	....	9	9.25	....	....	9	10	....	....	10	Bakerite Co., Fed. Inc., U.S.A. "B"	50,000	49,703	$10	Dec.	Div. $0.17 a/c 1937	16-3-38	10.75 July	4.25 Mar	10 Oct	10 Oct	....	29	10,612	29
10.25	....	....	14	....	....	....	14	....	....	....	....	Caldbeck, Macgregor & Co., Ltd. (ord.)	200,000	140,000	T10	Dec.	Div. $0.70 a/c 1937	29-4-38	16.50 Mar	14.25 Jan	....	....	....	....	1,540	....
....	15	14	....	....	....	14	....	....	....	....	....	China Import & Export Lumber Co., Ltd.	500,000	231,803	T10	Feb.	Div. 6% = $0.84 a/c 1937-38	26-5-38	13 Mar	13 Mar	15 Aug	12 June	....	....	325	2,059
24.25	24.75	24.25	....	24.50	25	24.50	....	24.25	....	24	....	Chinese Eng. & Mining Co., Ltd. "Bearer"	2,000,000	1,960,000	£1	June	Div. 5% a/c 1936-37 Free of I/T Coupon 44	18-1-38	20.25 July	13 Jan	26.75 Aug	16 June	4,000	600	27,738	81,955
....	....	....	9	....	....	....	9	....	....	....	....	Chosen Corporation, Ltd.	750,000	725,000	£1	June	Div. 1/– (Mkg. 1/9d, 1937) Less Tax (Nil 1938)	15-1-38	10.60 Jan	9.40 Jan	....	....	....	....	9,300	....
....	19	19	....	....	20	19	....	....	....	....	....	Culty Dairy Co., Ltd.	40,000	40,000	T10	Dec.	Div. $1, 1934-35 (Nil 1937)	27-11-35	17 May	15 July	20 Aug	19 Aug	....	....	235	320
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	Champ Course Francais French	30,000	30,000	$20	Dec.	Div. $4.50 a/c 1934 (Nil 1937)	1-3-35	22 May	22 May	37.50 Sept	37.50 Sept	20	....	10	70
37.50	....	37.50	....	37.50	....	37.50	....	....	....	....	....	(French Race Course) non-French				Dec.	Div. $4.50 a/c 1934 (Nil 1937)	1-3-35	....	....	40 Oct	32.50 May	....	100	....	645
37.50	....	40	....	37.50	....	37.50	....	....	40	....	40	do. Founders		6,490	Free	Dec.	Div. $4.62 a/c 1934 (Nil 1937)	1-3-35	50 July	45 May	55 Apr	55 Apr	5	....	6	110
55	....	55	....	....	....	55	....	....	....	....	....	Hall & Holtz, Ltd.	28,000	26,342	$20	Feb.	Div. 5% = $1, 1934-35 (1937-38 Nil)	30-5-35	10 June	9 Mar	10 Mar	10 Mar	....	....	170	5
....	....	....	9	....	....	....	9	....	....	....	....	Hongkong & Shanghai Hotels, Ltd.	1,500,000	1,193,867	H $7.50	Dec.	Div. H. $0, 40 a/c 1937	6-4-38	8 Apr	8 Apr	7.25 Sept.	6.30 Apr	....	....	500	1,000
....	....	6.80	....	....	....	*7.25	....	....	....	....	....	Kelly & Walsh, Ltd.	75,000	45,000	$10	Feb.	Div. $0.50 a/c 1937-38	29-6-38	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	15.75	....	....	....	15.75	....	....	....	....	....	Mark L. Moody, Fed. Inc., U.S.A.	100,000	30,000	T10	Dec.	Div. $1.25 a/c 1937	1-2-38	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	4.50	....	....	....	4.50	....	....	....	....	....	Metal Industries of China, Ltd.	2,000,000	250,000	$5	Dec.	.. ..	.....	10.70 June	5.90 Apr	....	....	....	....	119,705	....
....	....	7.25	....	....	....	7.25	....	....	....	....	....	Millington, Ltd.	300,000	110,000	$4	Dec.	.. ..	....	1.50 June	1.25 Jan	....	....	....	....	6,250	....
....	....	1.30	....	....	....	1.30	....	....	....	....	....	Office Appliance Co., Ltd.	80,000	80,000	T8.50	Dec.	Div. Tls. 0.10 = $0.56, a/c 1933 (Nil 1937)	21-4-33	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	750
....	....	....	3	....	....	3	....	....	....	....	....	S'hai Exploration & Development Co., Ltd.	600,000	597,251	T2.50	Dec.	Int. Div. $0.30 a/c 1938 ($0.22 a/c 1937)	26-10-38	3 Feb	1.75 June	6.85 Oct	2 June	29,248	1,500	22,245	365,826
6.60	6.70	6.65	....	6.40	....	6.50	....	6.70	....	6.45	....	S'hai Vacuum Cleaning & Storage Co., Ltd.	35,000	23,000	T10	Dec.	Int. Div. 5% = $0.70 a/c 1938 (10% a/c 1937)	26-10-38	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	....	6	....	....	....	6	....	....	....	....	S'hai Waterworks Fittings Co., Ltd.	500,000	301,756	T1	Dec.	Div. 8% (= $0.11) 1935 (Nil 1937)	17-3-36	1.50 Jan	1 Feb	0.90 Sept	0.60 Oct	3,000	135	18,193	4,135
....	....	0.60	....	....	....	0.60	....	....	....	0.50	....	Union Brewery, Ltd.	500,000	200,000	T10	Dec.	Div. $1.25, 1933 (Nil 1937)	27-5-34	5.50 May	3 Mar	6 June	6 June	....	....	400	1,000
....	....	6	....	....	....	6	....	....	....	....	....															
												Bonds and Preferences														
....	....	....	81	....	....	....	81	....	....	....	....	American-Asiatic Underwriters, Cum. Pref. 8%	5,000	5,000	T100	Dec.	4% = $5.59 for ½ year ended Dec. 31, 1934	31-12-34	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	67.50	....	....	....	67.50	....	....	....	....	....	do. Cum. Pref. 7%	7,500	7,500	T100	Dec.	3½% = $4.89 for ½ year ended 31-3-35	1-4-35	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	Caldbeck, Macgregor & Co., Ltd. 8% cum. pref.	100,000	80,000	T10	Dec.	Div. 8% = $1.12 for 1937	29-4-38	17.50 May	15.50 Jan	13 Oct	12 Aug	....	200	2,300	10,600
....	13.25	13	....	13.25	13	....	13	....	....	13	....	Ch. Finance Corp. Fed. Inc., U.S.A. (Pref.) 8%	600,000	205,125	T5	Dec.	Quarterly Div. Tls. 0.10 = $0.14, 1933	30-12-33	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	3.60	....	....	3.60	....	....	....	....	....	....	Ewo Cotton Mills, Ltd. 8% cum. pref.	10,000	9,000	T100	Dec.	Div. Tls. 8 = $11.19, 1937	3-5-38	179 July	165 Apr	153 Oct	137 June	....	....	877	751
....	152	153	....	....	153	153	....	....	....	....	....	New Eng. & Shipbg Works, Ltd. 8 %cum. pref.	500,000	300,000	T5	Dec.	4% (Mkg. 8%) a/c 1934 & 6½% a/c 1935	14-3-38	7 July	5 Jan	7.50 Sept.	4.75 June	....	....	42,677	18,164
7.40	7.60	7.20	....	7.30	7.50	7.20	....	....	....	....	....	S'hai Power Co. Tls. 6 cum. Pref. stock	230,000	220,000	T100	Dec.	3rd Quarterly Div. Tls. 1.50 = $2.0979, a/c 1938	1-10-38	137.50 Feb	122 Jan	125 Aug	99 Apr	1,918	1,746	13,361	16,190
117	....	117.50	....	....	114	114	....	118	....	114.25	....	Shanghai Tug Lighter Co., Ltd. 7% pref.	10,000	10,000	T50	Dec.	Int. Tls. 1.75 = $2.44 a/c 1938	Pending	73 Mar	65 May	60 Oct	50 June	....	100	2,155	507
60	....	60	....	....	....	50	....	60	....	60	....	S'hai Waterworks Co., Ltd. 7% cum. pref.	100,000	100,000	T10	Dec.	3½% = $0.49 for half year ended 30-6-38	27-9-38	17 Mar	16 July	13 Oct	....	....	....	7,295	1,750
....	....	13	....	13	....	13	....	....	....	....	....	do. 6½% cum. pref.	100,000	100,000	T10	Dec.	3¼% = $0.45 for half year ended 30-6-38	27-9-38	16 July	13.75 Dec	12.65 May	12.65 May	....	....	5,230	280
....	....	....	12.50	....	....	....	12.50	....	....	....	....															
												Cottons														
17	17.30	17.10	....	17.50	17.70	17.70	....	17.80	....	17	....	Ewo Cotton Mills, Ltd., Ordinary	2,000,000	1,200,000	T5	Dec.	Div. $1.40 a/c 1937	3-5-38	18.50 June	12 Dec	20.20 Aug	12 Feb	35,800	20,080	814,117	720,489
....	....	95	....	....	100	95	....	....	....	....	....	Shanghai Cotton Mfg. Co., Ltd.	240,000	240,000	$50	Apr.	Dvi. $2.50 for year ended 30-4-38	26-5-38	121.25 Apr	92 Jan	98 Aug	80 July	....	....	3,140	1,140
26	....	29.75	....	....	....	29.75	....	....	....	....	....	Zoong Sing Cotton Mills, Ltd.	200,000	150,000	T10	June	Dvi. $5 & Bonus $5 a/c 1936-37 (Nil 1937-38)	30-12-37	35 June	29 Mar	29.75 Sept	29.75 Sept	....	....	900	1,000
												Plantations														
....	....	18.50	....	....	....	18.50	....	20	....	20	....	Alma Estates, Ltd.	70,000	70,000	£1	Sept.	Final Div. $1– (Mkg. $2 a/c 1936-37)	16-12-37	30 Apr	16xd. Dec	18.50 June	15 Feb	....	200	5,310	2,145
19.50	....	19.50	....	....	....	19.50	....	20	....	20	....	Anglo-Dutch (Java) Plantations Ltd.	400,000	350,000	10s	Dec.	Final Div. $0.10 (Mkg. $0.70 a/c 1937)	20-5-38	13.75 Apr	7 Dec	10.20 Oct	6.50 Feb	500	....	66,252	9,693
9.80	10	10	....	....	....	10	....	....	....	....	....	Anglo-Java Estates, Ltd.	500,000	496,000	10s.	Dec.	Int. Div. $0.25 a/c 1938 ($150, a/c 1937)	Pending	19.60 Apr	11 Sept	16.50 Oct	11 Feb	500	600	200,484	41,951
15.50	15.80	15.60	....	15.80	15.70	15.80	....	15.40	....	15.40	....	Ayer Tawah Rub. Plantation Co., Ltd.	500,000	335,499	T1	Sept.	2nd Int.Div.$0.05(Mkg.$0.10,1937-38)($0.05,1936-37)	1-8-38	7.25 Apr	4 Dec	5.50 Oct	4 May	1,500	537	49,548	8,862
5	5.60	5.40	....	....	5.60	5.40	....	5.40	....	5	....	Batu Anam (Johore) Rub. Ests., Ltd.	900,000	900,000	T0.10	Dec.	Final Div. $0.04 (Mkg. $0.10 a/c 1937)	21-4-38	2.05 Apr	0.80 Oct	1.50 Oct	0.70 Jan	....	5,000	661,910	176,430
....	1.14	1.15	....	....	1.16	1.15	....	1.10	....	1.10	....	Bute Plantations (1913), Ltd.	500,000	353,698	T1	Dec.	Final Div. $0.15 (Mkg. $0.45, a/c 1937)	11-4-38	6.40 Apr	3.20 Dec	4 Oct.	3 June	....	500	259,340	31,250
3.60	....	....	3.60	....	....	....	3.60	3.70	....	3.70	....	Chemor United Rubber Co., Ltd.	1,200,000	956,747	T0.10	Dec.	Div. $0.15 a/c 1937	21-4-38	2.05 Apr	0.80 Oct	1.50 Oct	0.85 Feb	13,000	4,000	464,150	205,131
1.41	1.43	1.41	....	....	1.42	....	....	1.43	....	1.41	....	Cheng Rubber Estates, Ltd.	1,095,850	1,051,438	T0.10	June	Div. $0.06 a/c 1936-37 (Nil 1937-8)	13-10-37	1.31 Apr	0.47 Dec	0.54 Oct	0.40 Sept.	12,000	8,000	1,314,620	391,506
....	0.54	0.53	....	....	0.54	....	....	0.54	....	0.53	....	Consolidated Rub. Estates (1914), Ltd.	500,000	484,837	2/–	Dec.	Final Div. $0.20 (Mkg. $0.50, 1937)	14-4-38	7 Apr	3.40 Dec	4.70 Oct	2.50 Jan	5,000	....	253,876	41,660
4.20	....	4.10	....	....	4.60	4.50	....	....	....	....	....	Dominion Rubber Co., Ltd.	350,000	200,000	T1	Dec.	Final Div. $0.20 (Mkg. $0.65 a/c 1937)	4-4-38	10.15 Apr	4.90 Dec	7.25 Aug	4.75 Mar	....	....	62,019	13,305
....	6.75	6.90	....	....	7	6.90	....	....	....	....	....	Gula-Kalumpang Rub. Ests., Ltd.	750,000	665,000	£1	Dec.	Div. 8% 1937 Less I/T (Coupon 34)	13-5-38	53 Mar	33.25 May	....	....	....	....	....	....
....	....	....	32	2.35	....	....	32	....	....	....	....	Java-Cons. Rub. & Coffee Ests. Ltd.	850,000	753,000	2/–	Dec.	Final Div. $0.09 (Mkg. $0.21 a/c 1937)	1-4-38	3.20 Apr	1.80 Dec	2.50 Oct	1.55 Jan	2,000	....	587,850	79,470
2.32½	....	2.35	....	....	2.30	....	....	....	....	....	....	Kapayang Rubber Estates, Ltd.	15,000	14,800	T10	Dec.	Final Div. $0.50 (Mkg. $1.50 a/c 1937)	21-3-38	38 Apr	27 Jan	20 June	20 Apr	....	....	6,235	950
....	....	20	....	....	20	....	....	....	....	....	....	Kota Bahroe Rub. Ests. (1921), Ltd.	500,000	461,804	T0.75	June	Fin. Div. $0.05 (Mkg. $0.10 a/c 1937-38)	30-9-38	4.85 Apr	2.50 Dec	3 Aug	1.80 Mar	6,000	....	410,486	54,585
....	....	2.70	....	2.50	....	2.70	....	....	....	....	....	Kroewoek Java Plantations Ltd.	2,200,000	2,200,000	T0.10	Dec.	Final Div. $0.06 (Mkg. $0.12, a/c 1937)	14-3-38	1.53 Apr	0.70 Oct	1.32 Oct	0.70 Feb	30,000	42,000	1,177,130	604,250
1.32	1.34	1.22	....	1.20	1.21	1.21	....	1.24	....	1.19	....	Langkat	250,000	250,000	Gs.10	Oct.	Div. Tls. 0.50 = $0.70, 1929-29 (Nil 1937)	3-3-37	14.50 Mar	7 Jan.	11 Aug	4 Apr	....	2,100	43,052	38,115
9.40	....	9.50	....	....	9.70	9.90	....	9.50	....	9.50	....	Padang Rubber Co., Ltd.	500,000	500,000	T1	Apr.	Final Div. $0.05 (Mkg. $0.08 a/c 1937-38)	15-7-38	1.90 Apr	1 Nov	1.37½ June	1 Feb	3,500	2,500	314,000	76,250
1.10	1.16	1.11	....	....	1.20	1.15	....	1.11	....	1.10	....	Permata Rubber Estate, Ltd.	350,000	317,219	$1	Oct.	Final Div. $0.04 (Mkg. $0.10, a/c 1936-37)	9-2-38	1.10 Apr	0.60 Dec	1 Mar	0.60 Jan	....	....	66,580	31,000
....	....	0.80	....	....	....	0.80	....	....	....	....	....	Repah Rubber & Tapioca Ests. Ltd.	1,350,000	1,350,000	T0.10	Dec.	Final Div. $0.03 (Mkg. $0.09 a/c 1937)	20-4-38	1.28 Apr	0.60 Oct	0.93 Oct	0.60 Feb	....	8,000	636,752	158,875
....	....	0.92	....	0.90	0.90	0.92	....	0.88	....	0.88	....	Rubber Trust, Ltd.	25,000,000	1,082,000	T1	Sept.	Final Div. $0.20 (Mkg. $0.40, a/c 1936-37)	23-12-37	5.72½ Mar	2.90 Dec	3.90 Oct	2.50 May	1,000	....	524,938	204,107
3.65	....	3.55	3.55	....	3.55	....	....	....	....	....	....	Samagaga Rubber Co., Ltd.	6,000,000	1,011,000	T0.10	Sept.	Div. $0.05 a/c 1936-37	16-12-37	1.10 Apr	0.55 Jan	0.83 Oct	0.60 May	2,500	....	650,055	33,930
0.80	....	0.83	0.80	....	0.83	....	....	....	....	....	....	Semambu Rubber Ests. Ltd.	900,000	900,000	T0.10	Dec.	Final Div. $0.03 (Mkg. $0.09, 1937)	29-3-38	1.35 Apr	0.67 Nov	0.92 Mar.	0.63 Feb	....	....	355,180	134,250
....	0.90	0.90	....	0.90

COMMERCE AND FINANCE

Money and Exchange

Hongkong & Shanghai Bank

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 1938

BANK'S SELLING RATES 10 A.M.

£1 @ 8 ..... $ 30.00
U.S. $100 @ 15 13/16 ..... $632.41

BANK'S BUYING RATES 10 A.M.

£1 @ 8 1/16 ..... $29.767
U.S. $100 @ 16 ..... $625.00
London—demand 8 1/16
4 months' sight credits 8 1/8
4 months' sight docts 8 3/16
6 months' sight credits 8 5/32
6 months' sight docts 8 3/32
New York—demand ..... U.S. $16
4 months' sight credits 16 1/8
4 months' sight docts 16 1/4
Paris—4 months' sight docts Fcs. nom.

INTERBANK CLOSING SELLING RATES

Sterling ..... 8 U.S. $15 7/8
Hongkong/London 1/2 1/16

Chartered Bank

Canadian $100 @ 15 11/16 ..... $637.45
Hongkong $53 1/8 ..... $100.00

Netherlands Trading Society

Netherlands Guilders ..... Buying 29 1/2
Java Guilders ..... " 29 1/2
Netherlands Guilders ..... Selling 28 7/8
Java Guilders ..... " 28 7/8

American Express Co., Inc.

Buying U.S.$100=$620.155 £1=$29.539
Selling U.S.$100=$629.922 £1=$30.00

Italian Bank for China

It. Lire 2.90=$1 Swiss Frs. 0.69 1/2=$1
Tourist Lire 3.21 ..... $1

Banque Belge Pour L'Etranger

Belgas 0.93 1/4=$1 Belgas 28.04=£1

Other Quotations

Berlin/Hamburg T.T. $100=Rm. 39 1/4
$100=Reg. Mk. 85.00

Local Exchange Report

Messrs. Drakeford, Davis & Wilson

INTERBANK CASH DELIVERY

£	Highest 8 1/32	Lowest 8
U.S. G.$	15 7/8	15 7/8
Yen	—	—

MERCHANTS CLOSING RATES

Cash	SELLING	BUYING Nov.
*£ T.T.	8	4 m/s. l.c. 8 1/16
G. T.T.	15 13/16	4 m/s. l.c. 16 1/16
Fcs. T.T.	593	4 m/s. 615
Rs. T.T.	44 1/2	7 d/s. 45 1/8

BAR SILVER

	READY	FOR'D
London pence per std. oz.	19 5/8	19 3/8
N.Y. cents per oz. troy	42 3/4	—

*Hongkong Bank only.

London silver was 1/8 up for ready and 1/16 up forward, being 19 5/8 for ready and 19 7/16 forward. New York was unchanged at 42 3/4 and Bombay was closed.

It was reported India bought. Bears covered, while speculators sold. Market steady. After the official fixing the market was quietly steady.

The local exchange market opened with sellers to merchants at 8.- sterling and 15 13/16 U.S.$.

The Interbank market was very quiet and very little business was done. At the opening buyers predominated but there was some reluctance to operate until it was as certain whether support would beforthcoming. This support being available the market relapsed into complete stagnation with sellers for cash at 8d sterling and 15 7/8 U.S.$. During the opening hour of the morning the best sellers for November were 7 13/16 sterling and 15 3/4 U.S.$. and for December 7 13/16 sterling and 15 1/2 U.S.$. but later with support for cash, forward rates improved and closed with sellers at:—

8	sterling	15 7/8	U.S.$.	Cash
7 31/32	"	15 13/16	"	Nov.
7 7/8	"	15 31/32	"	Dec.

Foreign Exchanges

Bombay, Rupee T. T. on: Nov. 3.

Japan	78 5/8	London	1/5 33/32
New York	282	2 months	
Shanghai	47 1/2	" (sellers)	1/5 33/32
Hongkong	85 1/4	" (buyers)	1/5 31/32

London £ Sterling T T. on:

New York	475.95	Shanghai	8 1/4 d N
Paris	178.75	Bombay	1/5 31/32
Berlin	11.87	Hongkong	1/3
Amsterdam	8.74 1/4	Singapore	2/4
Brussels	28.13	Yokohama	1/2
Madrid	100.00	" (buying)	unq.
Milan	90.43	C'slovakia	138.31 S
Berne	20.97		

New York U.S.$ T. T. on:

Berlin	40.07	Japan	27.76
Spain	unq.	Shanghai	16.00
Holland	54.43	Austria	Unq.
Paris	2.66 1/4	C'slovakia	3.44 1/2
Brussels	16.91 1/2	Hungary	19.80
Italy	5.26 1/4	Rumania	0.74 1/2
S'zerland	22.69 1/2	Yugo Slavia	2.30
Swedn	24.52	Greece	0.87 3/8
Norway	23.92	Bulgaria	1.25
Denmark	21.25	Finland	2.11
Montreal	99.375	Poland	18.85
Brazil	5.90		

London	4.76
" Demand	4.75 3/4
" Bankers' 60 days bills	4.75
" Commercial 60 days bills	4.75
Buenos Aires Paper	29.52
" " " market rate	25.05
Montreal on London	4.78 13/16

—Reuter.

Foreign Money Rates

London: Nov. 3.

Fine Bank Bills,	3 months	0 13/16%
Bank Bills,	6 months	0 3/4%
Fine Trade Bills,	3 months	2 3/4%
Fine Trade Bills,	6 months	3 1/4%
Call Money		0 1/2%

New York:

Bankers' Acceptances for 1, 2 and 3 months	0 1/2%B 0 1/16%A
Bankers, Acceptances for 4 months	0 5/16%B 0 1/2%A
Call Money	1%

B—Bid. A—Asked.—Reuter.

Manila Gold Shares

(Closing Bids in Pesos)

	Nov. 3	Nov. 4
Antamok	.50	.52
Balatoc	9.90	10.10
Benguet Consolidated	12.20	12.50
Coco Grove	.49	.50
Consolidated Mines	.003	.003
Demonstration	.28	.28
Masbate	.23	.24
North Camarines	.60	.61
San Mauricio	1.12	1.20
Surigao Consolidated	.30	.33
United Paracale	.48	.50
Turnover: 971,000 Pesos.		
Shares Index: (closing prices)	104.20	
Atok	.32	.30
Batong Buhay	.011	.017
I X L	.66	.66
Nine Operation	.14	.14
Suyoc	.22	.23

VALUE OF GOLD MINED DURING OCTOBER

	Pesos
Demonstration	144,400

—Reuter.

Shanghai Stocks

Yesterday's Business

Official Averages

1938 High	1938 Low		Today's Averages	Change
143.37	100.30	General	126.97	+0.06
148.95	95.55	Rubbers	142.17	+0.63

Volume 69,968 shares, 430 bonds.

Morning Session

		CASH
$21,000	S'hai Power 5 1/2% Debs.	$ 80.50
$3,000	S'hai Telephone 6% Debs.	$ 86.00
$2,000	F. M. C. 6 1/2% Debs. 1925	$ 94.00
$1,000	S. W. W. 6% Debs. 1932	$ 94.00
$10,000	S'hai Power 5 1/2% Debs.	$ 80.50
500	S'hai Loan	$ 5.35
2,000	Kelantan	$ 0.41
50	S'hai Power (Pref)	$117.25
20	S'hai Dock	$ 85.00
500	Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 17.10
100	S'hai Loan	$ 5.40
150	Wheelock	$ 24.00
50	S'hai Power (Pref)	$117.50
300	Wheelock	$ 24.00
1,500	S'hai Loan	$ 5.35
50	S'hai Power (Pref)	$117.75
600	Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 17.20
53	S'hai Power (Pref)	$118.00
100	S'hai Land	$ 8.70
500	Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 17.40
97	S'hai Power (Pref)	$118.00
10	S. & H. Wharf	$175.00
100	S'hai Dock	$ 86.50
200	Caldbeck Macg. (Pref)	$ 13.00
2,000	Int. Assurance	$ 3.75
600	Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 17.50
500	Exploration	$ 6.65
1,000	Exploration	$ 6.70
1,000	Kroewoek	$ 1.24
100	S'hai Land	$ 8.80
500	Int. Assurance	$ 3.70
100	S'hai Land	$ 8.70
500	Bute	$ 3.70
2,000	Chemor	$ 1.43
2,000	Kroewoek	$ 1.23
3,000	Kroewoek	$ 1.22
1,000	Tanah Merah	$ 2.00
100	S'hai Power (Pref)	$118.00
500	Anglo Java	$ 15.80
10	Wheelock	$ 24.25
10,000	Kelantan	$ 0.40
5,000	Batu Anam	$ 1.10
5,000	Batu Anam	$ 1.10
300	Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 17.50
1,000	Chemor	$ 1.43
8,000	Repah	$ 0.88
100	Tram (Bearer) £1	$ 35.50
2	S'hai Power (Pref)	$118.00
100	S'hai Power (Pref)	$117.75
200	Alma	$ 20.00

Afternoon Session

$6,000	S'hai Power 5 1/2% Debs.	$ 80.50
200	S'hai Pahang	$ 2.20
150	S'hai Power (Pref)	$117.75
5,000	Cheng	$ 0.52
13	S'hai Power (Pref)	$117.50
1,100	S'hai Land	$ 8.60
143	S'hai Power (Pref)	$117.75
200	Alma	$ 20.00
100	Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 17.40
1,000	Kroewoek	$ 1.23
500	Ayer Tawah	$ 5.40
5,000	Kroewoek	$ 1.23
1,000	Cheng	$ 0.52
500	Exploration	$ 6.60
300	Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 17.50
3,300	Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 17.40
100	Wheelock	$ 24.00
200	Exploration	$ 6.70
1,000	Cheng	$ 0.52
200	Sungala	$ 5.30

London Stocks

Thursday's Closing Quotations

London, Nov. 3.

A steady demand for British gilt-edged securities, the prices of which improved, distinguished an otherwise featureless session on the Stock Exchange today. Elsewhere, most groups were without a definite trend, apart from European bonds, which improved according to well informed quarters on a more optimistic view of the international situation.—Reuter.

	Nov. 2	3
War Loan 3 1/2% (Red.)	£99	99 1/2

JAPANESE BONDS

Japan 5% Stg. Loan, 1907	50	50
Japan 5% Stg. Loan, 1924	58 1/2	59

Osaka, Nov. 4.

Kogo 5%	Y.103.95

COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL

Allied Ironfounders	18/9	18/9
Armstrong, Stevens	6/9	6/9
Assoc. & Elec. Indus.	37/-	73/3
Austin Motors, ord.	23/1 1/2	23/1 1/2
Bristol Aeroplane, ord.	56/4 1/2	56/4 1/2
British American Tob.	99/4 1/2	100/7 1/2
Cable & W., new form	42 1/2	42 1/2
Cammell Laird, ord.	8/6	8/6
Courtaulds	29/-	29/-
Distillers	90/6	90/6
Dunlop Rubber	24/-	24/3
Genelal Elec. (Eng.)	76/1 1/2	77/3
Guinness (A) Son & Co.	91/6	93/-
Hawker Siddeley Aircraft	28/3	27/-
Imp. Chem. Indus.	31/1 1/2	31/1 1/2
Imp. Tobacco	135/7 1/2	135/-
Leyland Motors	87/3	87/3
Marks & Spencer "A" ord.	56/10 1/2	56/10 1/2
Pressed Steel, com.	15/3	15/1 1/2
Rolls-Royce	102/6	103/1 1/2
Smethwick Drop Forgings	16/9	17/-
Tate & Lyle	79/3	79/3
Turner & Newall	78/3	78/4 1/2
United Steel	28/-	28/-
Vickers, ord.	24/6	24/6
Woolworths	58/4 1/2	58/-

MISCELLANEOUS

Anglo Dutch	28/3	28/-
Rubber Plin. Trust.	30/3	30/-

MINES

Burma Corp.	10/-	9/9
Commonwealth Min.	1/10 1/2	1/10 1/2
Marsman Invest.	17/-	17/-
Randfontein Ests.	40/9	40/4 1/2
Sub-Nigel	290/-	290/-
Tanami Gold Min.	4 1/2d.	4 1/2d.
Western Holdings	16/1 1/2	15/10 1/2

OILS

Anglo Iranian	96/3	96/10 1/2
Burmah	89/4 1/2	90/-
Mexican Eagle	5/-	5/-
Shell Trans. & Trad.	86/3	86/10 1/2

CHINESE EXTERNAL LOANS, ETC.

4 1/2% Gold Loan, 1898	£74	74
5% Gold Bonds, 1925-47	71	71
4 1/2% Anglo-French Loan	78	78
5% Crisp Loan, 1912	43	42 1/2
5% Reorg. Loan, 1913	56	56
8% Stg. Notes, 1925	14 1/2	14 1/2
5% Honan Rly., 1905	28	28
5% Hukuang Rly., 1911	26	26
5% " " (Ger. Is.)	24	24
5% Lung Tsing U. H. Rly.	17	17
5% S'hai-Nanking Rly.	26	26
5% T'sin-Pukow Rly. B.	22	22
5% " " G.	22	22
5% " " (Supl. Loan) B.	22	22
5% " " (Supl. Loan) G.	22	22
5% Canton-Kowloon Rly.	23	23
S'hai Elec. Construction	25/- N	25/- N
S'hai Waterworks "A"	19 1/2 N	19 1/2 N
Un. Ins. Soc. of Canton	30 1/2	30 1/2
Chartd. Bank of I. A. & C.	9 1/4	9 1/2
H. & S. Bank (Ldn. Reg.)	80	80 3/4
" " (Col. Reg.)	82	82 3/4
Chinese Eng. & Min.	17/3	17/3
Chosen Corp.	7/-	7/-
Pekin Syndicate	2/- N	2/- N
Gula Kalumpong Rubber	23/1 1/2	23/1 1/2

N—Nominal.

British Commodities

Thursday's Closing Quotations

London, Nov. 3.

Commodities were featureless today.

London Rubber: Spot, buyers 8 5/16 unch; sellers 8 7/16 +1/16; December delivery, buyers 8 3/8 +1/16; sellers 8 7/16 +1/16.

London Sugar (Buyers): December 5/5 1/4 +1/4; March 5/6 1/4 +1/4; May 5/6 1/2 unch.

Liverpool Wheat: December 4/3 1/8 —1 1/2; March 4/3 5/8 —1; May 4/3 3/4 —7/8.

Liverpool Cotton: American Futures: Jan. 4.83 +1; Mar. 4.84 unch; May 4.84 unch; July 4.83 +1; Egyptian Futures (Giza, F.G.F. No. 7): Nov. 7.80 +9; Jan. 7.83 +9; Mar 7.88 +9; May 7.83 +9.

London Metals: Copper, Standard, cash, sellers £45 3/4 —1/8; 3 mths sellers £45 7/8 —3/16; Copper, Electrolytic, buyers £51 1/2 —1/4; sellers £52 1/2 —1/4; Tin, Standard, cash, sellers £212 1/4 +1/4; 3 mths sellers £213 1/4 +3/8; Lead, Foreign, official price, sellers £15 13/16 —1/4; 3 mths delivery, official price, sellers £16 —1/4; Spelter, Ordinary, official price, sellers £14 1/2 —1/8; 3 mths delivery, official price, sellers £14 3/4 —1/8.—Reuter.

New York Stocks

Thursday's Closing Quotations

New York, Nov. 3.

After opening firm, stock prices on Wall Street today finished irregularly higher. Rails were especially firm and active on speculative buying induced by reports of renewed attempts to settle the rail wage question, while industrials and utilities held their ground. Trading was brisk, and sentiment was decidedly more cheerful with operators hoping for indications of a definite trend. In the bond section, Japanese issues further advanced. The turnover today amounted to 1,070,000 shares.

Dow-Jones Averages

	High	Low	Close	Changes
30 Indust.	153.13	151.72	152.31	+0.10
20 Rails	32.64	31.73	32.56	+0.90
15 Utilit.	24.15	23.80	23.95	+0.05
40 Bonds	——	——	89.96	—0.09
11 Commod.	——	——	48.08	—0.17

	Nov. 2	3
Adams Express	11 3/4	12
Aileghany Ludlum Steel	22 7/8	23 3/4
Allis Chalmers	51 5/8	51
Amerada Corp.	67 3/4	68 1/4
Amer. Can	101	100 3/4
Amer. & For. Power	4 1/4	4 1/8
" " $7 pfd.	B 19	B 19
Amer. Locomotive	26	26 1/4
Amer. Metal	41 1/2	41
Amer. Radiator	17 1/2	18
Amer. Rolling Mill	20 1/4	20 3/8
Amer. Smelting	54 5/8	*53 1/8
Amer. Sugar Refining	26 1/2	25 5/8
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	147 1/4	147 1/4
Amer. Tobacco "B"	89	89 1/4
Amer. Waterworks	14 1/2	14 1/2
Anaconda Copper	37 1/8	36
Atchison, T. & S. Fe	39	40 7/8
Auburn	5	5 1/4
Baltimore Ohio	8	8 1/2
Barber Asphalt Corp.	22	22
Barnsdall Oil Co.	17 3/4	17 3/4
Bethlehem Steel	68 1/4	69 1/4
Boeing Airplane Co.	27 1/2	27 3/8
Borg Warner	32 1/4	32 1/2
Briggs Mfg. Co.	34	34 1/8
Brooklyn-Manhattan Trans.	12 7/8	12 3/4
" $6 cum. pfd.	34 1/4	34 1/2
Can. Pacific Rly.	6 1/8	6 5/8
Case, J.I.	90 1/4	91
Chase Nat. Bank	B 32 1/2	B 32 1/4
Chesapeake & Ohio	33 3/4	34
Chrysler	82 1/2	82 7/8
Columbia Gas & Elec.	8 3/4	8 3/4
" " "A" pfd.	82 1/2	83
Coml. Credit	55 1/8	55 1/2
Comm. & Southern (ord.)	1 7/8	2
" $6 cum. pfd.	50 5/8	50 1/4
Consolid. Edison	32 1/2	32 1/2
Consolid. Oil	8 7/8	8 3/8
Continental Can	42 1/4	42 3/4
Continental Oil	28 1/4	28 1/2
Corn Products	69 3/8	68 7/8
Curtiss Wright (com.)	6 3/4	6 5/8
" "A"	26 1/8	26 1/2
Distillers Corp. Seagrams	22 3/8	22
Douglas Aircraft	68 3/8	*65 3/8
Du Pont de Nemours	145 1/4	145 1/2
Eagle Picher Lead	12 7/8	12 7/8
Elec. Bond & Sh.	13 1/4	13
" " $5 pfd.	59 1/2	58
" " $6 pfd.	B 67 1/4	68 1/2
Elec. Power & Lt.	42 1/4	43 1/4
Flintkote	27 5/8	28
Gen. Amer. Trans.	54 3/8	55
Gen. Elec.	45 5/8	46
Gen. Motors	49 7/8	49 3/4
Gen. Rly. Signal	23 1/4	24
Glidden Co.	25	27
Goodrich (B.F.)	24 3/4	24 1/2
" $5 pfd.	61 1/4	B 61 1/2
Goodyear Tire & R.	33	32 5/8
Great Nthrn. Iron Ore	13 1/2	13 3/4
Great Nthrn. Rly.	25 1/4	26 3/8
Great Western Sugar	28	28
Greyhound Corp.	19 3/4	19 7/8
Hecker Prods.	10 3/8	10 5/8
Int. Nickel	55 7/8	56 3/8
Int. Tel. & Tel.	10	10 3/8
Kennecott	45 3/4	45 1/8
Libby-Owens-Ford Glass	55 1/2	55
Lockheed Aircraft	23 1/4	23 1/4
Loew's Inc.	59 3/4	60 1/8
Manhattan Shirt Co.	B 14 1/2	B 14
Martin. Glen. L. Co.	32	31 5/8
McKesson & Rob.	B 36 1/4	37
Monsanto Chemical	104	103 3/4
Montgomery Ward	50 7/8	50 3/4
Nat. City Bank	B 24 7/8	B 24 5/8
Nat. Dairy Prods.	13 7/8	13 5/8
Nat. Distillers	27 7/8	28 1/2
Nat. Lead	27 1/8	27 1/8
Nat. Power & Lt.	8 3/4	8 5/8
Nat. Supply Co.	16 7/8	17
New York Central	19 1/4	20 1/2
North Amer. Aviation	14 3/8	14 1/4
North Amer.	24 1/2	24 1/2
Northern Pacific	12 1/2	13 1/2
Pacific Gas & Elec.	29	29 7/8
Pacific Lighting	B 41 1/2	41 3/4
Packard Motors	5 3/8	5 3/8
Paramount Pictures Inc.	11 3/4	12
Pennsylvania R.R.	21 1/2	22 5/8
Phillips Petroleum	39	*38 1/2
Public Serv. of N.J.	32 3/4	32 5/8
Pure Oil	10 7/8	10 7/8
Radio Corp. of Amer.	8 5/8	*8 1/2
Republic Steel Co.	19 1/2	19 1/4
Reynolds Tobacco "B"	44 3/8	44 5/8
Schenley	19 3/4	19 1/2
" 5 1/2% pfd.	75 3/4	76 1/2
Sears Roebuck	74 3/4	75 1/8
Shell Union Oil	15	14 3/4
Socony-Vacuum	13 1/2	13 1/2
Sthrn. Pacific	19 1/4	20 5/8
Sthrn. Rly. $5 pfd.	29	30 1/4
Stand. Brands	7 3/8	7 1/4
Stand. Gas & Elec.	4 1/2	4 1/2
Stand. Oil of N.J.	53 7/8	53 5/8
Stone & Webster	16 3/8	16 1/8
Swift Intenational	29	28 7/8
Technicolor	22 1/8	21 7/8
Texas Corp.	42 1/2	42 1/2
Texas Gulf Sulphur	31 1/4	31 1/4
Tw. Century Fox	26 1/4	26 1/8
" " pfd.	34	34 3/4
Un Carbide & Carbon	85 1/2	86 3/4
Un. Pacific	94 3/4	95 1/2
Un. Aircraft (new)	34 5/8	35
Un. Air Lines Trans.	11 3/8	11 1/2
Un. Corp.	3 7/8	3 7/8
" $3 pfd.	35 1/8	35
Un. Gas Corp.	3 5/8	3 5/8
Un. Gas Improvement	12	11 7/8
U. S. Rubber	52 3/8	52 3/4
" 8% pfd.	98 1/2	100 1/4
U. S. Steel	64 5/8	64 1/2
Vanadium	26 3/8	26 1/8
Warner Bros. Picts.	7	7 1/8
Westinghouse Elec.	119 1/2	118 3/4
Woodward Iron	23 1/2	23 3/4

BONDS

Amer. & For. Power	54 1/4	54 3/4
Brazil	11 1/2	11 1/4
Baltimore & Ohio	20 1/8	20 1/4
Cities Serv.	73 3/4	73 1/4
Erie R.R.	13 1/2	13 3/8
Int. Tel. & Tel. Conv.	100 1/4	100 1/4
Int. Tel. & Tel. 5s	71 1/2	71 3/8
New England Gas & Elec.	60 3/4	60 3/8
Peru	12	11 3/4
Sthrn. Pacific R.R.	53 3/4	54 1/2
Stand. Gas & Elec.	61 1/4	60 1/2

B—Bid *—Ex Dividend.—Reuter.

Dow-Jones Summary

By Courtesy of Swan, Culbertson & Fritz

Most sections of the Stock Exchange marked time today in a session of quiet trading. Speculative buying lifted rails, but selling was seen to affect some of the issues in the copper section. However, buying was recorded over a fairly wide range. Construction awards were heavy, being above those of the preceding week and the corresponding period of last year. We expect the fourth quarter's profits of utilities to exceed those of the corresponding period of 1937. However, some quarters are uncertain regarding the near term trend of the market.

By Courtesy of Swan, Culbertson & Fritz

Most market operators during the current period under review preferred not to extend their commitments ponding next week's Election and Armistice Day holidays; hence price movements on Wall Street were inconclusive. Considering the nature of the Railroad Fact Finding Board's report, rail issues in the initial session of the week behaved well, with the general market recovering impressively after early weakness. Exports believed that the technical position was sufficiently strong to withstand adverse news. Traders Tuesday were cautious and the rally in steel stocks failed to attract now buying. Group selectiveness was primarily responsible for the irregular tone. Turnover Wednesday was below the million share mark for the first time since October 4 and prices fluctuated irregularly within narrow limits. Many of the leaders made small gains just before the close. Operators were increasingly cautious Thursday with many showing a tendency to remain on the side lines pending the Elections November 8. Activity again centered on specialties, with selective buying of aircraft in evidence.

Only minor changes were recorded in commodity prices, as measured by the Dow-Jones index. Wheat futures eased on forecast of better growing conditions and heavy liquidation of the December option. The weakness of Winnipeg was also a depressing factor. Prices were particularly under pressure upon the release of the Bureau of Economic's report predicting a continued low priced level and poor export outlook. Due to the keen competition abroad and continued inactivity in export demand, corn moved lower. Not much change was recorded in cotton futures. Nearbys were firm under the influence of the strength of spots on covering by trade shorts. Later in the week liquidation hedging, switching of nearbys and foreign demand for distants caused a narrowing of differences. The basis is reported to be easier on the West. Though interest was restricted because many traders preferred to await the result of the meeting on November 15 of the International Rubber Regulation Committee, rubber prices moved higher. Good buying by factories and renewed speculative demand found sellers only on a scale upward.

Steel mill operations continued to climb and latest electricity production figures stood at the best levels for the year. Promise of Government aid in the rehabilitation of Railroads, and car-loadings pointing higher, were additional favourable factors. However, the continued small demand for business loans and the failure of commodity prices to move upward, coupled with the forthcoming election uncertainties, clouded the immediate outlook. News of increased unfilled automobile orders, despite heavier porduction, was ignored. Some observers theorized that business gains have been overdiscounted.

The Market in Figures:

	Thursday Oct. 27	Nov. 3	Change
D.-J. Average for 30 Indust.	152.69	152.31	off .38
D.-J. Average for 20 Rails	31.94	32.56	up .62
D.-J. Average for 15 Utilit.	25.19	23.95	off 1.24
D.-J. Average for 40 Bonds	90.23	89.96	off .27
D.-J. 11 Commodity Index	48.92	48.08	off .84

Commodity Prices:

	Thursday Oct. 27	Nov. 3
Chicago Wheat	65 5/8	63 1/2
Winnipeg Wheat	58 1/2	57
Corn	45 5/8	44 1/8
Cotton	8.49	8.50
Rubber	16.93	16.95
Hides	12.60	12.28
Sugar	1.00 1/2	1.04

Business:

	Previous	Latest
N.Y. Times Index	87.7	87.7
Steel Operation (% of capacity)	53.7	56.8
Carloadings (carloads)	727,000	707,000
Electric power production (k.w.hrs.)	*2,214,000	*2,226,000
Average Daily Oil Production (bbls).	3,247,000	3,328,000
Automobile output (cars)	68,360	73,335

*000 omitted.

Stock Outlook: Until after next week's election, further market irregularity is likely. Nevertheless, every indication points to underlying technical strength, leading to the view that should next Tuesday's results prove disappointing, no important liquidation is probable.

U.S. Commodities

Thursday's Closing Quotations

New York, Nov. 3.

The cotton market early advanced moderately on higher Liverpool and Bombay cables, covering and speculative and foreign buying, but then reacted on hedge selling and liquidation. Later, some switching was in evidence, and the market ruled quiet and narrow, as most operators were reluctant to enter into new commitments. Finally, the market closed steady, with quotations ranging from 5 points down to 2 points up.

Prices in the rubber market early advanced on higher cables, covering, London, factory and commission house buying. Later, the market further advanced on trade and local buying. At the last call over, gains of 11 to 16 points were recorded.

Wheat prices in Chicago declined on liquidation, weak foreign markets and reports of beneficial rains. Later, the market rallied partially on professional buying, a better milling demand and shorts covering. At the final bell, losses of 3/8 to a 1/2 cent were registered.

New York Cotton			New York Rubber		
Dec.	8.49-50	—05	Dec.	16.95-95	+16
Jan	8.43-43	—01	Jan.	16.93-94	+14
Mar.	8.41-41	unc.	Mar.	16.96-96	+16
May	8.25-25	—01	May	16.93-93	+11
July	8.16-16	+01		B/A	
Oct.	7.92-92	+02			

New York Sugar No. 4			New York Silk		
Mar.	1.03 1/2-04	unch			
	B/A		Nov.	1.76-77	+1/2
May	1.06-06 1/2	unch		B/A	
	B/A				

Chicago Wheat			Chicago Corn		
Dec.	63 3/8-63 1/2	—3/8	Dec.	44 1/4-44 1/8	—1/4
May	65 3/8-65 1/2	—1/2	May	47 3/8-47 3/8	—1/8

Winnipeg Wheat			Montreal Silver		
Dec.	57-57	—5/8	Nov.	41.00 B	unc.
May	60 3/8-60 1/2	—3/8			

B—Bid. A—Asked.—Reuter.

Bank of England Returns

London, Nov. 3.

The Bank of England statement for the week ended November 3 shows a decrease in public deposits of £10,-910,000 to £14,130,000, while other deposits were higher by £10,000 to £145,920,000.

Government securities were listed at £102,390,000, showing a decrease of £5,190,000 from the previous week. Other securities totalled £31,590,000, including £10,450,000 on discounts and advances and £21,140,-000 on securities.

Notes and coin amounted to £43,-770,000, a decrease of £1,520,000 from the previous week's figure of £45,290,000, while total bullion decreased by £60,000.

Notes in circulation totalled £483,-950,000, registering an advance of £1,470,000 compared with last week's figure.

The proportion of reserve to liability was given at 27.31 per cent., compared with 28.14 per cent. last week.—Reuter.

Paris Bourse

Paris, Nov. 3.

The Bourse opened well-orientated on French stocks today, but it was hesitant upon Internationals. During the session, quotations declined as share-holders dumped their stocks on the market in rather large quantities. At the close, the market was heavy, especially on International counters.

Rather a great decrease in the quotations of Suez Canal stocks was noted as events in the Far East had their effect upon the market.

Certain quarters fear that Japanese domination over China may have an important effect upon traffic through the Canal.—Havas.

Lancashire-Egyptian Trade Agreement

Cairo, Nov. 4.

At the final meeting, yesterday, of the Lancashire Trade Delegation and the Egyptian Committee an agreement was reached by which Lancashire's proportion of Egyptian textile imports was substantially increased.

The Agreement will now be submitted to the Egyptian Cabinet.

The Agreement provides:—

That the total output of Egypt's national textile industry is to be deducted from the total national consumption. The remainder will be divided among all countries proportionate to their imports of Egyptian raw cotton, on a basis of the average for the last three years

That this proportion will be revised yearly, according to the increase in the Egyptian national output;

That the share of each country, which increases its purchases of Egyptian cotton after one year, is to be increased accordingly.—Reuter.

U.S. Secretary of Agriculture

London, Nov. 4.

A severe criticism of the suggestions made by Mr. Henry Wallace, American Secretary of Agriculture, regarding the opportuneness of increasing subventions for the export of American wheat was made today in the "Financial News." The journal stated that such barely veiled dumping threatened to jeopardize international good-will and bring up difficulties.

The paper added that a country to whom money is owed, already highly industrialized and with the advantage of a large export surplus, resorting to dumping was not a welcome sight.

In conclusion, the "Financial Times" wondered whether such a programme for American exports could lead to international collaboration.—Havas.

Gold Production Announced

New York, Nov. 3.

The American Bureau of Metal Statistics announced here today that world gold production during September, with the exception of the Soviet Union, amounted to 2,747,000 ounces.

The figure for August, the Bureau recalled, was 2,766,000

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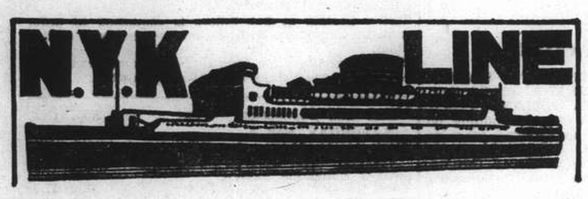

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B	MENESTHEUS	Liverpool	Nov. 24	Nov. 25	Japan Ports
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C	IXION	Pacific Coast	Dec. 4	Dec. 6	Hongkong
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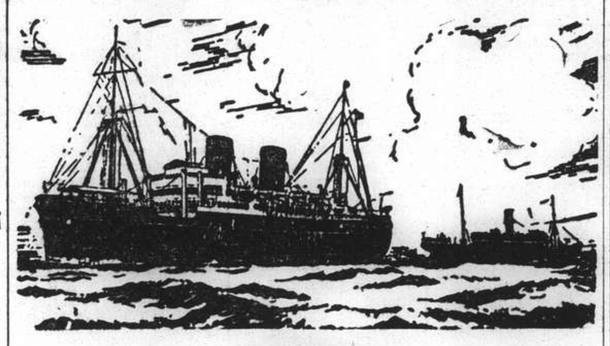

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Light mails for Kiangpei Offices west and north of Haian via Chinkiang close daily at 9.30 p.m.

Vessels Discharging

VOGTLAND. From Hamburg, Bremen, Rotterdam, Antwerp, Genoa and via Ports.—This vessel is now discharging all her cargo, at the Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf, subject to the usual terms and conditions as shown on the Wharf Tariff. Consignees are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature and take immediate delivery of their cargo. Consignees of "Bulk" cargo are further requested to send their representatives to the Wharf to verify the weights of such cargo whilst being landed. Damaged cargo will be examined at the Wharf on November 9, 1938, at 9.30 a.m. by the Surveyors, Tesdorff, Hannig & Co. No examination will be made after this date. All claims against this vessel must be sent in within fifteen days after the vessel's arrival. Claims sent in after this period will not be recognized. No Insurance will be effected. Hamburg-Amerika Linie Fil